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Texas Precincts To Favor John Garner

Roosevelt Policies Endorsed; McAllen Goes For Garner; County Meets Are Set

By The Associated Press

Texas Democrats, torn between Vice President Garner, a Texan, and President Roosevelt, met in their precincts Saturday night to instruct county convention delegates how to vote on the presidential nominee.

Early and incomplete returns showed sentiment in favor of the vice president, although practically every precinct reporting endorsed the Roosevelt administration.

In Dallas county, Garner led the President. At Belton, three of the first five precincts reporting, instructed for President Roosevelt. The Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen resolution for a third term for President Roosevelt was submitted at the Belton conventions.

Marshall, home of Myron Blalock, Garner leader, and Harrison county favored the vice president.

Observers expected a fight for control of the Bexar county delegation at San Antonio between Roosevelt and Garner supporters.

Five of the seven Lubbock precinct conventions favored Garner for the nomination and endorsed the Roosevelt administration. One was uninstructed and one supported Roosevelt.

The first six Travis county precincts reporting in Austin instructed for Garner for president and endorsed the national administration. Attendance at the conventions was light.

PRECINCT MANEUVERS ARE JUST 'WARM UP' MEETS

BROWNSVILLE — The battle that's developing along the nation's political fronts, from Cameron county's 35 voting precincts on up, probably can be well likened to

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LLOYD GEORGE SAYS BRITAIN HAS MUDDLED

'Will Lose War Unless Cabinet Changed'

LONDON—(AP)—The independent newspaper Sunday Pictorial today prominently displayed an article by David Lloyd George, Britain's world war prime minister, denouncing the direction of the current war as "faulty, feeble and foolish." . . .



GEORGE

"Leaders of Democracy have utterly muddled their case and it will certainly be lost if there is not an immediate change in direction," Lloyd George asserted in the article, which occupied the entire front page of the Pictorial.

"The British parliament must take the situation in hand immediately. If they fail to do so without delay they will be guilty of high treason to the nation . . .

"The war direction must be drastically reconstructed in organization and in personnel, otherwise disaster in inevitable."

FLOOD BILL IS DUE MAY 8

$54,000,000 Is Asked For Water Control

McALLEN—The house foreign affairs committee at Washington is expected to open hearings Wednesday on Representative Milton West's bill for a $54,000,000 flood control and irrigation project on the lower Rio Grande, according to information received here Saturday.

The hearings were originally set for last Friday, but so far as could be learned here, were not opened at that time. Committee members had decided to delay the proceedings until the following Wednesday in event the Friday session could not be held.

Emory W. Watts of McAllen, who is representig the Water Conservation Association of the Valley at Washington in work on the measure, returned fro the capital the past week but was back there Saturday to aid preparation of arguments for the measure. It was understood here that one or two federal agencies still had to file their reports on the bill before hearings could get under way.

The West measure would bring to realization plans for a master canal in the Valley which would water 583,000 acres of farm land, some 125,000 of which are not yet in cultivation. It provides for two large reservoirs, one in Starr county and one in Hidalgo, in which overflow from the Rio Grande would be stored during high stages on the river, to be released for irrigation later when dry seasons occur. Thousands of non-resident Valley land owners have been asked to seek support of the bill among their congressmen and many have replied favorably.

Whistling Plumber Halts Flow Of News

JASPER —(AP)— It was not a censor who stopped the flow of news from the Red Army maneuvers Saturday.

It was a plumber.

When communications were suddenly severed, wire company trouble shooters could not find the difficulty. They sent to Beaumont for an exper Meanwhile, a plumber who was making some minor repairs whistled as he worked.

The expert aid the plumber had disconnected a ground wire. Threw a monkey wrench into the maneuvers, he said.

Dallas Women Fight Carhops Scant Togs

DALLAS— (AP) —To State Labor Department officials and the Dallas city council will go a band of Dallas women next week, determined to halt employment of scantily dressed girl carhops at drive-in stands.

With them they will take girls who will complain, Mrs. Hungerford said, that their wages seldom exceed $5 weekly, including tips, out of which they had to pay rental on costumes.

UNIONS BALK WAGE-HOUR CITRUS AID

Packers Told They Must Conform

WASHINGTON — (AP) — A wage-hour hearing for the citrus fruit packing industry ended Saturday with pleas by Boris Shishkin of the American Federation of Labor and Michael Howard of the Congress of Industrial Organizations against any change in the wage and hour requirements now applied to the industry.

Both argued that citrus fruit packing was an industrial operation in which many individual plants represented an investment of $200,000 or more so that they could not receive wage-hour exemptions as "small farm" processing operations.

Howard also contended that the CIO had concluded after a study that the packing plants could conduct all their peak seasonal operations in the 14-weeks period per year during which they are permitted by law to work their employes 56 hours a week without overtime compensation.

Allied hearings on the canning industry will start Monday and those on deciduous gruit and vegetable packing will begin May 9, a wage-hour administration official said.

Earle Mayfield May Ask Commission Job

FORT WORTH —(AP)— Earle B. Mayfield, Jr., Tyler attorney and political leader, is considering entering the race for railroad commissioner, it was learned here Saturday.

Mayfield told the Star-Telegram that many friends had requested him to file for the place to be vacated by the retirement of Chairman Lon A. Smith next January, but said he had not yet made up his mind on the matter.

New Battleship To Be Launched June 1

WASHINGTON —(AP)— The first new American battleship in 19 years will be launched June 1 at the Philadelphia navy yard with a direct descendant of Chief Justice John Marshall as sponsor.

Under present plans, the Washington will be launched 13 days ahead of a sister ship, the North Carolina, which is under construction at the New York navy yard. President Roosevelt has been invited to witness the Philadelphia ceremony.

Norvell Files

Hidalgo Man Seeks Justice Post

SAN ANTONIO —(AP)— James R. Norvell, 37, associate justice of the Fourth Court of Civil Appeals, Saturday filed his candidacy for re-election, Kwill Morriss, Jr., chairman of the Bexar County Democratic Executive Committee, announced.

Judge Norvell, appointed to the Court by Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel to succeed Judge C. S. Slatton, who was named to the state supreme court commission of appeals in January, filed for six year term. He is from Edinburg, Hidalgo county.

ALLIED FLEET OFF AEGEAN COAST NOW

Greece Fears Spread Of War Soon

ITALY BACKS OUT

Rumania Halts Night Danube Traffic

ATHENS —(AP)— The reported arrival of British naval reinforcements in the Aegean Sea off Salonika kept tension high in Greece Saturday night as all of southern Europe watched anxiously for developments in the eastern Mediterranean.

British ships have been stationed in the Aegean, gateway to the Dardanelles, since the outbreak of the war.

New War Ball?

But the arrival of more ships, coming on top of Italian concentration of air, naval and military forces in the Dodecanese Islands and the British-French naval concentration at Alexandria, brought home to residents of Salonika the fact that their seaport town would be a strategically valuable base for either side in case the war should break out here.

While watching the movements of the British war vessels, Greece took steps to protec. Salonika from the north. A major portion of the ten classes of reserve officers called up for training will be sent to the Albanian frontier, whence Italy conceivably might launch a drive if she enters the war.

At the same time German sources reported that Greek police had raided a secret British radio station in Athens which h been sending meteorological reports to British warships. This could not be confirmed officially in Athens.

Yugoslavs received new if unofficial assurances that Italy had no designs on their country.

Yugoslavia Easier

Tension in Dalmatia, across the Adriatic Sea from Italy, diminished somewhat as the Fascist newspaper in Fiume, Il Gazetta Di Fiume, which has wide Yugoslav circulation, said:

"Italy has no aspirations toward Yugoslavia. Italy's preparations are directed onl agains events in the Mediterranean."

At Ankara, the Turkish capital, German ambassador Franz von Papen postponed indefinitely his trip to Berlin to report to Chancellor Hitler on the situation in the near East. In Istanbul, Turkish police announced the release of Prof. Hans von Osten, one of five Germans arrested on suspicion of espionage and spreading German propaganda, because of failure to prove charges against him.

Rumania took steps against possible sabotage by forbidding all Danube river craft to pass under the Cernavoda bridge at night. This huge span in southeastern Rumania is considered the chief military route to southern Dobruja province, which Bulgaria claims.

HOT CHECKS SIZZLE AGAIN

Area Farmers Asked To Beware

HARLINGEN—Warning to those giving hot checks in purchase of Valley produce that all charges will be vigorously prosecuted, and added warning to local growers and shippers to be careful accepting checks for their produce lest they be victimized by swindlers, was voiced here Saturday by Assistant District Attorney Arthur A. Klein.

E. J. Lee and Ray Harkness, truckers were arrested Saturday in Texarkana, and held for local officers on charge of swindling by worthless check in amount over $50, Klein said. Mrs. Mattie Clark of San Benito made complaint, which was filed before Justice of the Peace Menton Murray here.

The complaint was the third such filed against truckers during the past week, Klein said, on worthless checks given produce men and farmers, principally on potato purchases. Klein added that numerous other such worthless checks have been given, in amounts ranging from less than $50 to several hundred dollars. Charges in connection with most of these are expected to be filed shortly.

CONGRATULATIONS

To Mr. and Mrs. Harry Haven, San Benito, on the birth of a son, weighing seven pounds 12 ounces, Saturday at 6:15 p. m. at Medical Arts Clinic.

New Power Discovered By Science

May Revolutionize Transportation

NEW YORK —(AP)— Laboratory isolation of a new chemical substance, one pound of which is said to be capable of yielding the power output of 5,000,000 pounds of coal or 3,000,000 gallons of gasoline, was described Saturday by the New York Times.

Revolutionizes Power

The Times said that this discovery, announced in the current issue of the Physical Review, scientific journal, had been hailed by leading scientists as holding the promise of revolutionizing all present methods of power production, and ushering in the era of atomic power.

The substance was identified as "U-Wet," an isotope or chemical twin of ordinary uranium, which when simply immersed in cool water releases its energy in a form useable by man—steam.

A chunk of five to 10 pounds of the substance, plentifully available in many parts of the earth, would drive a battleship or seagoing submarine around the oceans of the world for an indefinite period without refueling, it was said.

Nazi 'Order" Discovery

THE Times said that the Nazi government had heard of American research in this field and had ordered its greatest scientists to concentrate on the problem of improving the method of extracting the U-235, one pound of which was said to have the explosive force of 15,000 tons of TNT.

"Every German scientist in this field, physicists, chemists and engineers . . . have been ordered to drop all other researches and devote themslves to this work alone," the Times said.

Hungry Civilians Eat Food Left By Allies In Norway

IN THE STEINKJER REGION, Norway — (Sunday) —(AP)— Thousands of starving war refugees descended upon the hilly regions around Namsos Friday and Saturday and helped themselves to large stores of food left by the British and French before the hasty Allied withdrawal.

Upon learning that the Allies were gone these civilian victims of the war made a Roman holiday of it, eating and drinking as much as they could and then carting away as big a load as they could carry to their homes. Throughout the region from Overhalla west to Namsos —where the Allies kept their plentiful stores—htere were poignant scenes as the hungry civilians clawed ravenously at the boxes of foodstuffs. Men, women and children, released from days of living in terror of airplane attacks, appeared to care for nothing except that peace had come—and that here was real food after days of hunger.

Surf Board Rider Said Lost In Lake

AUSTIN—(AP)—Howard H. Fincher, 23, a teacher in a junior high school here, disappeared on Inks Lake Saturday while riding a surf board, drawn by a speed boat.

Reports received here were that the persons in the boat were unaware for some time that Fincher apparently had fallen from the surf board.

Facts Of Life Will Be Taught Tots Is Methodist Proposal

ATLANTIC CITY —(AP)—The general conference of the Methodist Church formally proclaimed Saturday that parents should teach their children the "facts of life."

"Our children," the pronouncement stated, "desire and have a right to know before adolescence the facts regarding the origin of life and the nature of their personalities as it relates to sex.

"Parents, if properly instructed, are best fitted to give this assistance, but if they are recreant to this duty, then qualified persons in the church should teach reverently the beautiful truths of life to offset the obscene and all-too-prevalent misinformation to which our children are exposed."

Here's That Tan Again

Summer Returns With Sun Burning At 101

By The Associated Press

Lubbock, where the experiment station recorded 101 degrees and the airport 99, was the hot spot of Texas Saturday as the mercury hovered in the 90's in many cities.

A top of 107 was reported at a gas plant a few miles outside Lubbock.

Other highs: Laredo 97; Wichita Falls 96; Alpine, Del Rio, San Antonio and El Paso 92; Amarillo 91; Abilene 90; Austin, Brady and Houston 89; Brownsville and Corpus Christi 87 and Galveston 78.

MEXICAN OIL SEIZURE CASE IS REJECTED

Mexico Says Flatly Won't Arbitrate

SINCLAIR SIGNS

Chiefs Want Private Settlements

WASHINGTON —(AP)— The Mexican government flatly rejected Saturday night the United States request for arbitration of the two-year old dispute growing out of expropriation of American-owned oil companies.

General Eduardo Hay, Mexican minister for foreign affairs, said in a note that the Mexican government "considers arbitration incompatible" with the facts in the controversy and with international law "since the matter in dispute is domestic in nature and is near solution by the authorities of Mexico."

Want Private Cases

The note presented the view that the United States could not contend there had been a denial of justice until after the American oil companies had exhausted every means of adjustment provided by the Mexican laws, including recourse to the Mexican courts.

General Hay announced, in the note, that a settlement had been reached with the Sinclair interests under which the American company, "accepting the expropriation as definitive, will limit itself to discussing the amount of indemnity and the conditions of payment in reasonable installments, recognizing the justification of the Mexican point of view."

Harry F. Sinclair announced Saturday night, following a day-long conference with the Mexican ambassador, Francisco Castillo Najera, that "we have concluded an agreement with the Mexican government providing for a settlement." It was learned authoritatively that the settlement provided for the Sinclair interests to accept 20,000,000 barrels of oil and $8,000,000 to $10,000,000, the cash to be paid over three years, for the properties.

The Mexican note said the Sinclair interests "represent approximately 40 per cent of the investments of American interests in the

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COACH GRIES BADLY HURT

McAllenite Crashes On Motorcycle

McALLEN — Assistant McAllen Senior High School Football Coach Thomas Gries, 27, remained in a critical condition at City Hospital Saturday afternoon suffering from numerous injuries he received at noon Saturday when his motorcycle crashed into the side of a car driven by Marion E. Fox, 14-year-old son of Mrs. Mose Harris.

Attending physicians said Gries' condition was critical but held hope for his recovery. He sustained a badly fractured right leg and dislocated right elbow in addition to severe facial and head cuts, doctors said. Fox received a cut left elbow.

The collision occurred at the intersection of Cedar avenue as Gries was riding north on Tenth street.

Intersection Crash

Young Fox told Assistant District Attorney Hollis Rankin that he stopped at the intersection while two motorcycles passed him going north on Tenth street. He said he started to cross the intersection when Gries apparently slowed the speed of the motorcycle. Before the car was half way across

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Second Ride Final For Fort Worth Man

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Three weeks ago Mrs. Margurete Williams summoned an ambulance to her home here for a stranger who had suffered a heart attack on her front porch.

Saturday afternoon she summoned another ambulance for the same man, James A. Nickell, 62, but this time he was dead. He had called Saturday to thank her for her kindness three weeks ago.

Government Scores In Allotment Suit

DALLAS —(AP)— Government attorneys scored in the first round of a suit by a group of farmers seeking to restrain agriculture committeemen from fixing cotton allotments when Federal Judge W. H. Atwell Saturday denied a motion to remand the suit to district court.

Aged Explorer Hit By Cerebral Malady

PORT CHESTER, N. Y.—(AP)—Dr. Frederick A. Cook, 77-year-old Arctic explorer, Saturday night lay in a semi-coma following a cerebral hemorrhage. His condition was described by attendants at United Hospital as "critical."

French Rout Germans In West Front Attack As War Scene Shifts

Captured By Nazis



A long line of British prisoners is shown on the march through the streets of Trondheim, Norway, in this radiophoto transmitted from Berlin to New York. A German guard can be seen at the left near the rear of the column. Germany has stamped the conquest of Norway as nearly complete.

Nazis To Free Narvik

Army Turns North As Additional Forces Rushed To Norway Despite Victory

STOCKHOLM—(AP)—A German push northward toward Narvik, along hazardous mountain trails and fjords exposed to the guns of the Allied fleet, was predicted by military experts in Stockholm Saturday night.

This forecast was made while the massive German army machine, already numbering around 100,000 and being strengthened daily, overran central Norway, precipitously abandoned to the invaders by Britain and France.

Unconfirmed reports said British naval units were bombarding Arctic Narvik, but informed Swedish observers believed the German army would take advantage of the offensive momentum developed in central Norway to drive to the rescue of several thousand Nazis trapped between Allied land and sea forces at Narvik.

Still Holding On

Refugees arriving in Sweden from Narvik said a Nazi force greatly weakened by three weeks of fighting and a lack of supplies was clinging tenaciously to positions in the hills above Narvik while Allied land units were slowly closing in around the Arctic ore port.

The Germans in central Norway are separated from their beleaguered comrades and the Allied besiegers at Narvik by a long and narrow stretch of mountains flanking a fjord-indented coastal strip.

Experts said the Germans could push with little difficulty 100 miles northward of Namsos to Mosjoen. But from Mosjoen to Narvik, the experts believed, the German advance would be extremely hazardous, as it would involve traversing difficult country, expose the Germans to Allied attacks from the sea and necessitate ferrying across a network of fjords and lagoons.

Could Block Port

These Swedish experts thought it would be easy for the Allies, if they complete occupation of the Narvik area, to block any German attempts to drive to the Arctic port provided the Allies maintain a sufficient and active naval force off the coast north of Mosjoen.

Norwegian resistance in central Norway came to a virtual standstill Saturday after Colonel O. B. Getz, acting commander of Norwegian forces in this area issued an order saying that the fight against the Germans was finished.

Passports Again

Mexico Clamps Down On Border

BROWNSVILLE — Valley residents crossing into Mexico across the international border will be required to carry identification cards, effective Monday, May 6.

Two passport photographs will be presented by applicants for entry into Mexico after which the issuance of the cards will require but a few minutes. No charge will be made.

Local officials had no explanation for the regulation, other than that it is the law, and that since the outbreak of the European war vigilance along this border has greatly increased.

Persons carrying cards would be spared questioning those without them will be subject to, it was said.

Non-residents of the Valley will not be expected to carry the cards, but will be questioned on entry.

War

AT A GLANCE

By The Associated Press

PARIS — French report wide German attack on Saar sector thrown back in disorder; Reynaud government secret session test over Norway withdrawal in prospect.

BERLIN — Nazis claim three minute air attack sank 30,000-ton British battleship; declare total of nine British warships sunk or damaged during Allied troop transfer off Norway.

STOCKHOLM — Growing German war machine expected to push on Narvik, where Allies threatened isolated garrison; central Norway action finished.

LONDON — Criticism of Chamberlain government mounts; critical commons session due Tuesday; German air claims called "fantastic."

ROME — Italy warns Allies any naval offensive will find her ready.

SALONIKA — Greeks nervous as strong units of British fleet concentrate in Aegean.

ALEXANDRIA — More Allied fleet units arrive; Egypt orders general war exercises.

THE HAGUE — Government arrests 21 in move against "fifth column.

Co-Op Oil Refinery Opens In Kansas

PHILLIPSBURG, Kan. —(AP)— A crowd estimated by city officials as at least 20,000 witnessed the dedication Saturday of the country's first co-operative oil refinery, an $800,000 project.

Ralph Snyder, president of the Wichita Bank for Co-operatives, poured a vial of refined oil into a 1915 horse drawn tank wagon to symbolize the mingling of new and old ideas.

Roosevelt 'Turkey' Day To Be Ignored

AUSTIN —(AP)— Mere proclamations, even by the President of the United States, can't change the football habits of University of Texas and Texas A. and M. fans.

Ignoring "Roosevelt Thanksgiving," November 21, the Longhorns and the Aggies will play their annual "Thanksgiving" game at Memorial Stadium here November 28, officials of the two schools announced jointly Saturday.

BATTLESHIP IS SUNK BY NAZI WAR PLANES

Ally Fleet Masses In Mediterranean

By The Associated Press

The highly fortified western front, where many believe the European war eventually must be fought out, got a new measure of world attention Sunday as the French reported they had turned back in disorder a "quite important" German surprise attack on a broad sector of the Saar River area.

This large action, the first of its kind reported in weeks, gave rise at once to speculation on whether the Nazis might be feeling out Allied strength there in the wake of the Allies' defeat in Norway.

The French report on the fight said it took place on Friday night and was accompanied by artillery fire to both sides in the Moselle and Blies River sectors.

British Taunted

Livening up of the western front came as Nazi Germany, already flushed by triumph in Norway, taunted her enemies further with claims that she definitely had proved the efficacy of her great air arm against power on the sea.

Challenging Britain's long rule as mistress of the sea, the Germans said their dive bombers had sunk a British battleship of the 30,000-ton Queen Elizabeth class in three minutes off Namsos, Norway.

Nazis went on to claim a total of nine British warships or transports were sunk or badly damaged by air attack as the Allies strove to transport their withdrawing forces out of central Norway.

These claims for the power of the Nazi air force brought the retort from British sources that they were "of the fantastic character to which the public is fast becoming accustomed."

Battleship Sunk

In Berlin Air Marshall Hermann Wilhelm Goering, bemedalled man of the hour in the Norwegian Blitzkrieg, proudly announced the sinking of the battleship by air bombardment—a feat which he and Adolf Hitler had charged the German air force in Norway to achieve at any cost.

Beside the battleship the Germans said British losses included a heavy cruiser of the class of the 8,250-ton

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SYNOD NAMES NEW LEADERS

Lutheran Convention To End Sunday

LYFORD—Business meetings of the four-day Texas Conference of Augustana Synod of English Lutheran Churches were closed Friday here with the re-election of Rev. Hugo B. Haterius, Avoca, Tex., as president, and all other 1939 officers.

Rev. Fred G. Olson, Manor, was re-elected vice president; Rev. J. Herman Larson, Galveston, was re-elected secretary, and E. T. Isaacson, El Campo, was re-elected treasurer.

The confe ence took a decisive step in joining the Synodical Home Mission Plan instituted last year, wherein all missionary activity will be directed by a central board of the home mission instead of direction by the individual conferences as before. The Texas conference is the last to adopt the centralized plan. Headquarters will be at Minneapolis, Minn.

The conference will close Sunday night, after three services. An estimated 75 had arrived here from all parts of Texas by Saturday, Rev. Haterius said.

Rev. S. E. Engstrom, Minneapolis, executive secretary of the Home Mission Board, and one of the conference's distinguished visitors, spoke at the final Friday session. Rev. Leslie Carlson, Salina, Kan., another visitor at the conference,

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G-Men Cleared Of Third Degree Use

WASHINGTON—(AP)— Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation were absolved by Attorney General Jackson Saturday of using "third degree" methods in the arrest of 12 persons charged with recruiting forces for the Spanish Loyalist army.

The charges were made by Senator Norris (Ind-Neb) who said he had been told that although members of the group arrested in Detroit and Milwaukee "were not criminals" they were treated "as if they were well known criminals of the lowest type."

STOCKS LOWER BECAUSE OF WAR TENSION

Unexpected Actions Abroad Feared

By FREDERICK GARDNER

NEW YOR — (AP)— The stock market loitered in an irregularly lower range Saturday as traders lightened commitments as a precaution against unexpected war developments over the week-end.

The Associated Press average of 60 issues closed unchanged at 49.8 and, on the week, showed a net loss of .2. A month ago the composite stood at 51.4 and a year ago at 45.5.

Transfers amounted to 316,880 shares, smallest for a two-hour session since March 2.

The steel group did fairly well for a time, as forecasts were heard of an upturn in next week's mill operations. U. S. steel ended off 1-8 and Bethlehem down 1-2.

Douglas aircraft was the only aviation stock to emerge ahead. It was up 1 1-8. Boeing was down as much as 2 7-8. Glenn Martin, Eastern Airlines and American Airlines also backed away.

Other losers of as much as a point or more included General Motors, Du Pont, U. S. Rubber Common and preferred, Great Northern, Phelps Dodge, International Paper, Loft, Consolidated Edison and International Nickel.

Unchanged to up a share were Chrysler, Sears Roebuck, Johns Manville, Texas Corp., Kennecott, American Telephone, Hayes Mfg. and Consolidated Oil.

Bonds and commodities were uneven.

In a ragged curb Colts patent fire arms, National Container and Glen Alden Coal edged forward while minor declines were posted for Bath Iron works, Electric Bond and Share, Brewster Aero and Phoenix Securities. The turnover here approximated 117,000 shares.

CHURCH MEET ENDS SUNDAY

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will speak Sunday at 3 p.m. Sunday services will also be conducted at 10:15 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Rev. Carlson is regional director of the Augustana Synod for Kansas, Nebraska, and Texas.

Women Elect Chiefs

At the business session of the Women's Missionary Society, Mrs. E. J. Sohnson, Houston, was re-elected president. Other officers are Mrs. Ellen Ecklam, Austin, first vice-president; Mrs. H. B. Haterius, Avoca, second vice-president; Mrs. F. O. Linder, Austin, secretary; Mrs. Alfred Bergstrom, Fort Worth, treasurer; Mrs. Gus Fritz, Austin, industrial secretary.

Other W.M.S. secretaries include Mrs. Bertyl Magnuson, Elgin, Exhibit secretary; Mrs. Carl Forsell, Fort Worth, Y.W.M. secretary; Mrs. A. L. Scott, Elroy, Missionary for Day secretary. Other secretaries elected are Mrs. Eric Anderson, Austin; Misses Ethel Johnson, Hutto, and Ellen Johnson, Round Rock; Mrs. Alfred Nelson, Dallas; Mrs. M. A. Johnson, Fort Worth; Mrs. Clarence Nyberg, Houston; Mrs. Rudolph Scott, Houston; Mrs. N. A. Peterson, Houston; Mrs. J. H. Larson, Galveston.

During Friday afternoon delegates toured the lower Valley, including Engelman Gardens development in Hidalgo county, and a picnic supper was held at Lyford.

The 1941 convention was tentatively set for Avoca in West Texas.

Drawe Family Will 'Fail' 1940 Tigers

MERCEDES—The "personal element" in football will be lacking for L. E. Drawe, Mercedes farmer and pigskin fan, for the first time in eight years when the Mercedes Tigers will play this fall.

Drawe has had a son in the Tiger line-up since 1932—in fact four sons, but all of them during consecutive years. Every one of them served as captain of the team. Dale, now employed by the Central Power and Light Company, played in 1932-1933. Willis, now an agriculturist on his father's farm, performed during 1934-35. James, who is finishing his freshman year at Baylor University and may see active duty with the Baylor Bears this fall, was a regular on the Tiger squad in 1936 and 1937. Billie Gene, who captained the Mercedes team during the past season, was one of the Tiger's most consistent ground gainers during the 1938 and 1939 season.

"My fourth boy graduates this year and it will be several years until my next boy is old enough for the team," Drawe said.

Eugene Smith Files Bid For Rail Post

AUSTIN—(AP)—Eugene T. Smith of Austin said Saturday he had mailed his $100 filing fee as a candidate for State Railroad Commissioner.

Pointing out that approximately 20 persons had indicated they might run for the position, Smith, one-time chairman of the highway commission under Mrs. Miram A. Ferguson, explained he was filing early "to avoid the last minute rush."

WEILAND RECALLED

DALLAS—(AP)—Catcher Al Weiland, who was the whole show Friday night when Longview trimmed Henderson, 4 to 3, was recalled by the Dallas Rebels of the Texas League Saturday night.

Weiland tried out with the Rebels this spring but was farmed out to Longview of the East Texas League.

Displaying an accurate throwing arm, Weiland, an Amarillo boy, threw out four men Friday night, caught another off base, took part in two of four double plays and drove in two runs at bat.

As Hidalgo Voiture Celebrated



Pictured above is the locomotive of the Hidalgo county voiture, Forty and Eight, with members of the "wrecking crew" clinging to it. The locomotive is used in conjunction with initiation of new members into the American Legion fun group. The "wreck" was held Saturday at Edinburg. Judge Rogers Blalock sits atop the cab in the above photograph, and District Judge Bryce Ferguson on the step. (Photo McAllen Monitor.)



The photo above was taken while the Forty and Eight's Judge Roy Bean's Court was in session at Hidalgo county courthouse in Edinburg Saturday. In the closeup is D. P. Germane, McAllen, standing by Judge Roy Bean, or Jake Bauer of Mercedes. Other court attaches, who let few Edinburg men escape fines ranging from one to two dollars, for offenses ranging from "being an adult" to "accepting a county salary. (Photo McAllen Monitor.)

French Balk Nazi Attack On West Front Saturday

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York, "sunk in thirty minutes" by heavy bombs; a second cruiser and two destroyers bombed and damaged, and a 12,000-ton transport sunk, all off Namsos, plus a battle cruiser, a cruiser and a transport bombed (but not sunk) at Narvik.

It marked a new high in Goering's meteoric career. Men who know him say he has waited for weeks for just this test as conclusive proof that the German air force can accomplish any task set for it and that it has, in German eyes, "once and for all destroyed that myth of British mastery of the seas."

Sunday's brief German announcement of the battleship's destruction said it was proceeding on a westerly coast off Namsos Saturday afternoon when the German dive bombers swopped down on it, dropping heavy bombs.

Shielding Troops

The impression in Berlin was that the battleship was shielding the departure of British troops from Namsos. They embarked Thursday night.

No sooner had the power diver unit reported the feat to Goering than he hurried to the Reich's chancellery to tell Adolf Hitler about it.

The two decided, then, said Berlin reports, to withhold the news until Saturday noon "to see whether Churchill (British First Lord of the Admiralty) will have the courage to admit this terrific loss."

Churchill, however, said nothing.

"For some time we have been waiting for an opportunity to prove to the world that even a battleship can be sunk by air raiders," said one man in the know Sunday.

"General Erhardt Milch, secretary of state in the air ministry, went personally to Norway with orders from the Fuehrer and Goering that, if and when the hour for the test came, a battleship must be sunk, come what may.

No German Loss

"We are simply amazed, ourselves, that the experiment succeeded without so much as a single loss for us.

Action died down in war-riddled Norway except in the area around Narvik. Stockholm military experts predict the next move of the Germans, now 100,000 strong in Norway, would be a push toward Narvik.

Reports from there said the Allied naval vessels were bombarding them.

There were slight indications that the Allies might be planning further strong military action in Norway.

London unofficial military sources declared Britain "will continue fighting in Norway with great vigor."

The French war ministry declared Allied forces were besieging between 3,000 and 4,000 Germans at Narvik. This followed a previous assertion that French "Blue Devils" had gone to Narvik. It was not made clear whether they had been transferred there from points abandoned in central Norway.

Chamberlain On Spot

All Britain was engrossed with the question of whether the Chamberlain government could survive the debacle of Allied arms in central Norway.

Acutely aware that military disaster has unseated more than one government, Prime Minister Chamberlain threw his waning political strength into the task of guiding his regime through the wreckage of the Norwegian campaign.

Biting criticism by Laborites, Liberals and insurgent conservatives forced the aging prime minister to get ready for a real battle in the House of Commons Tuesday. He faces an outcry of "resign" as penalty for the failure in Norway.

The demand for the resignation of Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer Sir John Simon and Air Minister Sir Samuel Hoare, as voiced by Herbert Morrison, powerful labor party spokesman, was piled on top of bitter criticism of "complacency" and "oversatisfaction" on the part of the government. Combined these attacks are expected to take the form of a drive to overthrow the present government.

Italy, at first indifferent, sat up and took notice of the big Allied Mediterranean war fleet concentrated at Alexandria.

Italy Warns Britain

A sharp warning was voiced by Virginio Gayda, Mussolini's editorial mouthpiece, that if the Allied fleet assembly boded ill for Italy it would find Italy "prompt and strong."

Italy got on with her preparation for anything that might come. The official Gazette said the war ministry had received an extra 8,000,000,000 lire ($400,000,000) for "extraordinary expense."

Mediterranean countries grew more tense.

At Salonika, Greece, which would be a strategic prize in any Mediterranean war, it was reported strong units of the British fleet are in the Aegean Sea off the eastern coast of Greece.

Further Allied fleet units arrived off Alexandria. Egypt ordered general war exercises and a week's blackout.

Britain's ally, France, was having her own political troubles over the Allied withdrawal from central Norway. It appeared almost certain the government of Premier Paul Reynaud would be grilled about it in a secret session of the Chamber of Deputies.

Netherlands Oust Nazis

The Netherlands government began its expected drive against subversive elements at home by arresting 21 persons, one of them a Nationalist Socialist (Nazi) member of Parliament.

The arrests were announced by Hremier Derek Jan De Geer, who considered them so important he broadcast the news by radio to the Dutch East and West Indies, as well as the homeland.

He compared the arrested men to the Dutchmen who helped put Holland under French influence a century and a half ago.

Communists and members of other political parties besides the Dutch were among those reported arrested. All were interned.

The only prominent Nazi arrested was M. M. Rost Van Tonningen, chief editor of the Nationaledagblad, widely circulated National Socialist newspaper and a member of the Second Chamber of Parliament.

Honor Roll

SAN BENITO

SAN BENITO—Honor rolls in San Benito schools for the fifth six weeks period of the second semester, according to an announcement Tuesday by Principal S. V. Neely.

Senior high students who made one or more A's are listed as follows:

8 A's—John Hughes.

4 A's—Elba Basantz, Billy Bryant, Bonnie Lou Bryant, Richard Corbello, Alice Kitamura, Evelyn Klepland, John Parmer, Frances Phillips, Mary Lou Sweeney, Walter Tanamachi, Eleanor Thompson, Robert Tussing, and Madelyn Valentine.

3 A's—Peggy Alexander, Rosemary Atkins, George Atkinson, Bill Bone, Joyce Jean Brady, Lorraine Clark, Dorothy Hirsch, Wilma Hohenshell, Neil Kendrick, Evelyn Kennamer, Joyce Littlepage, Vera Mae Luttes, Gladys Parker, Evelyn Ratliff, Imogene Scogin, Marilyn Smith, Bill Symonds, Mary Talbot, Don Vantine, Edith Wittenbach, and Eleanor Anne Worth.

2 A's—Tad Brown, Bertha Chapa, Patsy Creekmore, Betty Erwin, Paul Gilbert, Ivel Goldsmith, Virginia Kaufman, Yuriko Kawamura, Clyde Kennedy, Letha Mae Kyser, Fidel Perez, Olive Helen Polly, Emma Ratliff, R. Lee Rode, and Frances Smith.

1 A—Jesus Aguilar, Virginia Alewine, Lucia Alvarez, Pauline Ayoub, Dorothy Jean Barber, C. A. Barker, Jean Brady, Tommy Brady, Phillip Brooks, Hortensia Castano, Harry Colwell, Ralph Colwell, Sadie Davidson, Billie Dickenson, Marjorie Dunbar, Arminda Farias, Nona Foster, Billie Foust, Lupe Gallardo, Angelita Garcia, Dorothy Garten, Ida Gonzales, June Gudmanson, Helen Hagedorn, Gilford Hales, Bobby Harris, Mildred Harris.

Odus Jhns, Neil Kellogg, Benito Leal, Edio Leal, Ruth Lee, Enrique Lopez, Lois Lovett, Jeanne Miller, Harriet Morgan, Doris Ogden, Margaret Pfeifer, Mary Minta Polly, Corrine Prather, Johnny Ramirez, Clarence Rawlins, Ralph Richardson, Olga Rico, Richard Roiz, Dora Saldana, Vinford Sanford, Freda Schneider, Richard Schneider, June Skinner, Betty Mae Smith, David Stroman, Wayne Stephens, Herbert Stuesser, Jack Tippit, Virginia Wartick, Gloria Watson, Robbie Weatherley, Bennett Williams, and Peggy Wilmeth.

In addition to the above students, the following A's were made in Band: Tol Boswell, Leo Castano, Mildred DeWitt, June Gudmanson, Joan Hagar, Evelyn Kennamer, Evelyn Klepland, and Eleanor Anne Worth.

In the junior high the following students made one or more A's during the six weeks:

5 A's—Frank Adleson, Ann Louthan, and Ann Deaton.

4 A's—Betty Clare Brown, Docia Clark, Edna Clark, Marilyn Daughtrey, Katherine Early, Bessie Lee Fry, Gloria Gamewell, Lola Mae Lewis, Helen Morris, Lucille Murphy, F. E. Sharer, Annette Stewart, and Alice Tuma.

3 A's—Lois Andrews, Fernando Coronado, Aletha Davis, Jo Lois Erwin, Donald Ferguson, Mary Ann Gamble, Obed Gonzales, Mary Jane Harrell, Emma Beth Hudson, Charles King, Leroy Kiphon, Eldon Long, Ruby Matejka, Robert Meyer, Leella Moore, Hardage Parker, Betty Lou Prentiss, Joanne Robertson, Edward Robertson, Lois Tippit, and Betty Doris Watson.

2 A's—Nathaniel Alewine, Robert Cain, Eustolia Cary, Doris Clark, Gwendolyn Creekmore, C. E. Davis, Miriam Dunbar, Verlon Fellers, Berta Garcia, Helen Gilbert, Betty Jean Graver, Sammie Griffin, Julio Guerrero, Anita Huerta, Edward Lee, Beth Lewis, Albert Martin, Clinton McDougal, Jane Morris, O. H. Polly, Haldane Reeves, Zetta Richardson, Orby Gene Roots, Gene Schneider, Jeanette Smith, Rena Tanamachi, and Marilyn Thompson.

1 A—S. E. Albritton, Tomas Atkinson, Clotell Aulds, Leita Mae Betancourt, Mary Alice Bohner, Betty Elasingame, Mary Elizabeth Bowyer, Joe Bob Brack, Cadwell Brunneman, Donald Bullard, Billy Carmichael, Elodia Castillo, Blanca Chapa, Allene Cradit, Mary Jo Crow, Yvonne de Boxtel, Samuel Delgado, Frances Fairless, Joyce Fellers, Richard Fewel, James Fowler, Raul Garcia, Tommy Gay, Encarnacion Gonzales, Genell Gray, Joan Harris, Marjorie Harris, Shirley Hector, Henry Herrington, Raul Hinojosa, Brian Hugon, Kayuyoshi Kamitani, Billy Kennedy, Laura Kennedy, Dorothy King, Audrey Knight, Jewel Knight, Frances Lang, Betty Lasiter, John Littlepage, Billie Joyce Lockmiller, James Martin, Alicia Martinez, Anita Maza, Buddy Monger, Dora Moody, Amelia Morales, Enrique Moreno, Daniel Moreno, Estela Moreno, Lola Murray, Verl Murray, Dominga Ocanos, Elidia Ocanos, Rosa Nell Parker, Ruby Pendergrass, Beverly Phillips, Jack Prentiss, Amador Rodriguez, Jesse Roiz, John Rushing, Gerald Rustad, Timoteo Santiago, Ruth Schneider, Arthur Shafer, Alton Sloan, Bobby Dale Smith, Floyd Smith, Blandina Stegmiller, Dorothy Stubblefield, Dorothy Stubbs, Jane Symonds, Berta Trevino, Jackie Trott, Dick Welch, Juanita Woods, Mary Margery Worth, and Dorothy Young.

In addition to the above pupils making the honor roll, Billie Joyce Lockmiller received superior rating in Band for the fifth six weeks.

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COACH GRIES BADLY HURT

Motorcyle And Car In Collision

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the street, Fox said Gries struck the car in its center and threw it ahead several feet.

The noise of the crash brought several onlookers to the scene. They told Rankin the wheels of the motorcycle were still spinning around with Gries prone on the pavement.

The coach was rushed to City Hospital by a Kreidler ambulance, where physicians gave him emergency treatment. Doctors said further examination would be made when he recovered from shock.

According to Rankin, there will be no charges filed in the case. Young Fox produced his driver's license for Investigating Officers George Murray, Richard Bales and Chief of Police Noah Cannon.

On Cycle Tour

In company with Howard Archer, who lives one mile north of Tenth street, Gries had spent the greater part of the morning riding one of Archer's motorcycles on a short trip that took them to Weslaco, Edcouch and Edinburg, then back to McAllen. They were on their way home when the accident occurred.

Archer told investigating officers he was unaware anything had happened until he looked back to see if Gries were following him. Not seeing him, he returned over the route he had taken to find a crowd gathered at the Cedar avenue intersection and discovered Gries, whose motorcycle was lying nearby with the front wheel pushed back under the motor.

West Texas Leaders To Speak At Parley

BIG SPRING —(AP)— Three prominent West Texans will speak at the producers' general assembly, May 17, which will be staged here as a feature of the twenty-second annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, May 16-18.

Joe E. Clarke, Albany, president of the West-Central Texas Oil and Gas Association, will speak on the petroleum industry. Jay Taylor, president of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association, will deal with livestock problems. H. G. Parr, member of the statewide cotton committee, will review the Texas cotton situation.

A survey shows that 83.9 per cent or 2,528 of the 3,010 students at North Texas State Teachers college, Denton, are affiliated with some church denomination.

FAMED PAINTER HONORED



McALLEN—Pierre Tartoue, French portrait painter who has been in the Valley for several months, will be honored at a ception Sunday in McAllen, sponsored by the Upper Valley Art League. He will exhibit several of his Valley portraits at the time. Above, he is shown at work on a portrait of Politte Elvins of McAllen, former St. Louis attorney. (Monitor Photo.)

Honor Roll

LA VILLA

LA VILLA—E. R. Fraser, principal of the La Villa schools has announced the following honor roll for the fifth six-weeks period:

Beginners: Manuela Rodriguez, Elena Gonzalez, Ector Garces, Carmen Trevino, Ruben Munoz and Lupe Garza. Low First: Louise Mendoz, Lily Peacock, Hortensia, Pelepe Perez, Alljandro Hernandez. High First: Olvia Hernandez, Ramon Rios, and Aristeo Rodriguez. Second grade: Aurero Cisneros, Ninfa Solis ,Bela Munz, Juan Pedroza.

Third grade: Lydia Hernandez, Adelia Rios, Leonila Sanez, Idalia Villanuera, and Inez Zumza. Fourth grade: Cruz Castillo, Elida Garza and Crescencio De Leon. Fifth grade: Hermelinda Davila, Conception Perez, Idabel Garza, Helen Peacock, Eliseo Castillo, Lupe Hernandez. Cixth grade: Otilia Hinajosa, Julia Guajardo, Gilbert Garza, Manuela Suarez. Seventh grade: Socorro Perez, Ruby Peacock, Imilda Villanueva and Lily Garza.

Pilot Oxygen Use Favored By Wives

HOLLYWOOD,Fla.—(AP)—An aviator's wife is likely to tell you that the breath of happiness is oxygen.

Col. A. D. Tuttle, former army surgeon, and now United Air Lines medical director, told why at the recent convention of the Aero Medical Association.

Oxygen equipment was installed on the company's planes about two years ago, he said, and pilots were required to use it at altitudes of 10,000 feet or higher.

"I got this report from their wives," Colonel Ttuttle stated. "Where pilots used to reach home feeling irritable and make a head dive for the bed and a long sleep, they now arrive feeling free and happy. Instead of a snore, the wives now hear this: 'Get on your glad rags, darling, we're stepping out tonight'."

Coast Guard Cutter Aids Stricken Ship

SAN FRANCISCO—(AP)—The coast guard cutter Ariadne arrived alongside the stricken lumber schooner Daisy Matthews Saturday night and picked up Captain O. J. Carlsen and 12 of his crew from small boats.

Eight men earlier were transferred to the Coos Bay Lumber Company's ship Lumberman, Mackay Radio reported. So far as was known here there was no loss of life.

The Ariadne radioed coast guard headquarters here: "The Captain (Carlsen) and the coast guard commander agreed it was no use trying to tow the Daisy Matthews. Vessel breaking up, seams open. Five miles offshore and drifting shoreward."

Three Army Planes Damaged In Crashes

McCOMB, Miss.—(AP)—A series of landing accidents in the Third Army's huge maneuvers Saturday damaged three pursuit planes and so badly wrecked the undercarriage of a transport that twelve soldiers had to parachute to safety before it pancaked to earth.

No one was injured and it was believed all four ships would be repaired in time to take part in the war games which began Saturday and will move into high gear through western Louisiana next week.

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MEXICO NOT TO ARBITRATE

Rejects U. S. Plan To Settle Seizure

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oil industry." New York financial circles estimate that Standard Oil of New Jersey, Standard Oil of New York, and the Sinclair group investments are valued at $200,000,000, of which only approximately $16,000,000 is owned by the Sinclair group.

Pledge Settlements

The Mexican note promised that similar settlements would be made with the other American oil companies whose properties had been expropriated.

General Hay charged, however, that long delays had resulted from obstructionist tactics by the American companies "which have systematically refused to allow the value of their properties to be determined, whether in the friendly manner proposed by Mexico through private negotiations or before the competent courts."

The companies, the note alleged, "by all means at their disposal, have prevented the attainment of a knowledge of the amount of the indemnity, an absolutely indespensable requisit for being able to affect payment."

Suspension of negotiations for a settlement of unpaid services on the Mexican foreign debt and railroads, the Mexican note alleged, resulted from upset international conditions and "the campaign undertaken against Mexico by the oil companies, with the aid of certain governments, using, among other means, the boycott to prevent all sales of our oil in foreign countries or else restricting it considerably by the adoption of tariff barriers, especially the so-called quotas, producing an appreciable limitation of the possibilities of payment by Mexico."

Refrigerator Agent Facetious At Zero

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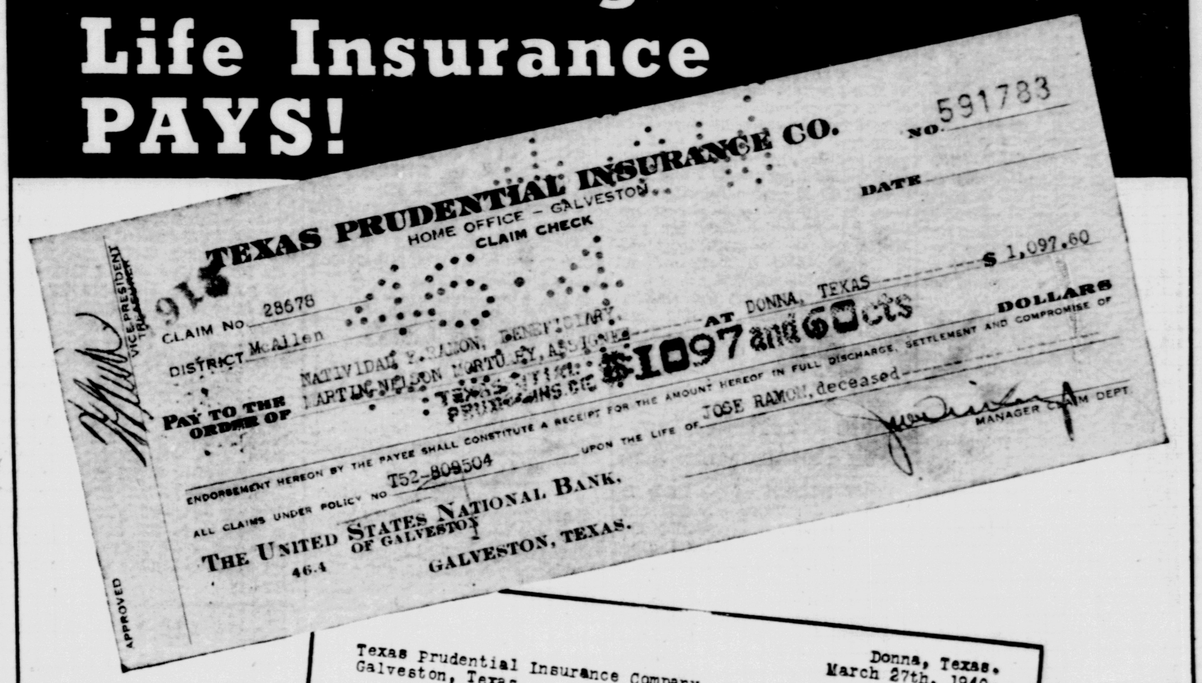
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'Russia Holds The Winning Cards'

OPINION NOW OK's CREDITS FOR ALLIES?

Officials Say Trend Is Changing

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Officials here say they detect signs of a gradually increasing sentiment for lifting or lessening the credit restrictions in the neutrality act in order to help the Allies.

They all agree, however, that no attempt from any direction will be made to change the act during the present session of Congress.

Now Forbidden

Letters coming into the state department and other signs indicate the officials said, that a movement may get under way in the United States to help the Allies through the extension of credit. This is now forbidden both by the neutrality act and by the Johnson act.

Demands for lessening credit restrictions have also come from producers of certain agricultural products. The Allies say their restrictions on purchases of such products are due to a desire to conserve foreign exchange.

Estimates vary between $5,000,000,000 and $8,000,000,000 as to the amount of gold, foreign securities and foreign credits the Allies have at their disposal. Informed observers believe the Allies' supplies of cash will hold out at least until the end of 1941. Hence there is no hurry in considering the possibility of revising the neutrality act and repealing the Johnson act.

Congress Firm

That Congress is in no mood to change the Johnson act at this time was indicated in the amendment tacked on to a bill authorizing government control of foreign credits held here. The amendment said that nothing in the act should be construed to negate the Johnson act.

NLRB Tactics Hit By Former Senator

WASHINGTON —(AP)— James A. Reed, former democratic senator from Missouri, denounced National Labor Board tactics Saturday as "the sort of thing engaged in by racketeers."

Reed told the special house committee investigating the board that the agency ought to be "abolished overnight" if even one-tenth of the committee's charges against it were true.

MULE BARN BURNS

COLLEGE STATION —(AP)— Fire destroyed the mule barn at Texas A. and M. Saturday morning but all animals were being harnessed at the time flames were discovered and were led to safety.

Babson Says Hitler Has Sabotaged All Hopes Of Peace; Predicts Stalin Winner

By ROGER BABSON

ST. LOUIS, Mo.—World War II has just started. Up until the time Hitler embarked on his Scandinavian campaign, there was always the possibility of a settlement around the peace table. Now this last hope of avoiding hostilities has been sabotaged. The war may well be a long one. Certainly, I see no hope of peace this year. Furthermore, I strongly believe that Russia—not Italy—holds the winning cards in this gigantic war game.

You read in the papers that Italy will soon be in the war on the side of Germany, but in my talks with army officers and governmental officials of England, I learn they have no fear of Italy. These men recognize that the Germans are a wonderful people; they did not want to go to war against them. But they have no fear of the Italians. Besides, the Italians do not like the Germans, nor do they like to fight. Mussolini is now in a bad fix. He has a big army in Ethopia. In order to keep his supply lines open to Ethopia, he must go through the Suez Canal. This is absolutely controlled by France and England.

Il Duce In Quandary

If Italy should declare war on the Allies tonight, the canal would be shut up tight tomorrow, and Italy's Ethopian army would be on the spot. Of course, Il Duce could send another army to the Balkans and perhaps take Yugoslavia and Rumania. The British and French have over half a million men in the Near East with the idea of protecting the Balkans. If Italy went into the war to help Germany she could perhaps break through to the Black Sea, but she could never get that Allied army. It would need only to withdraw into Turkey so that it could not be surrounded or penned up.

Moreover, Italy has a very vulnerable coast line. Practically all her big cities are on the coast while her industrial cities are within a few miles of the French border. Italy may go into the war before it is over; but my guess is that she will wait until the outcome is more certain. I should be very much surprised if Italy were foolish enough to get mixed up at the present time. If she does, it will not disturb the Allies very much; they would only like to know where she stands so they could cut their cloth accordingly.

Russia May Join Allies?

When it comes to Russia, that is another story. England has not said much against Russia. She is giving harsh orders to Germany and Italy; but not to Russia. England has a feeling that after Russia gets what she wants, (which apparently she now has to a certain extent) she will trade with the Allies or else remain truly neutral. She has part of Poland, a portion of Finland, and will soon get back some of Rumania which belonged to Russia for many years. Then, according to the British, Stalin will not bother with Hitler any more.



ROGER W. BABSON
'Watch Stalin!'

So, as I see the European picture, Stalin holds the winning cards. When the psychological moment comes, Stalin can lay down the peace terms and both sides will have to do pretty much as he says.

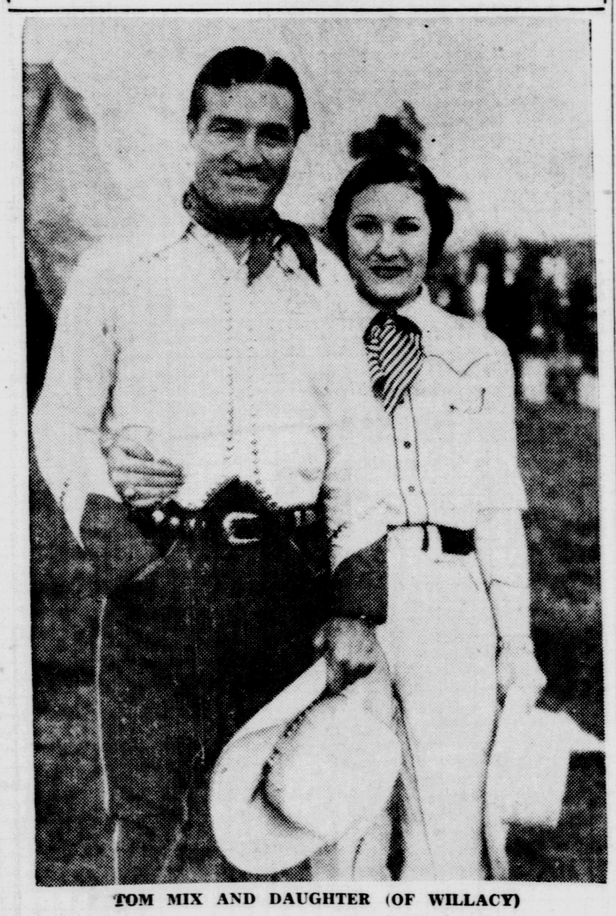
Russia also holds the aces in the Far East. Russia and Japan are natural enemies. They have already fought one war. At the present time neither Germany nor Italy can help Japan; neither has battleships in the Pacific. Japan can be helped only by England and France. If the European War should end tonight and the Allies should side with Chiang Kai-Shek, the Japanese would be compelled to move out of China. On the other hand, if England and France sided with Japan, Chiang Kai-Shek would have to give up. So Japan will try desperately to make terms with England and France.

Meanwhile, why should Russia stand idly by and let England and France make a deal with Japan? The Soviets will come in to the discussions and seek the friendship of the Allies. Russia cannot afford to have Japan get China. She then would be out on a limb! So it seems to me that when the time comes, Stalin will side with the Allies. Hence, the very natural thing is for Russia, England, and France to get together in the European conflict.

Therefore, I say to all business men and investors: Do not be upset by what is happening in Norway or even in the Balkans. Do not get frightened if the war extends to Sweden. These small countries must inevitably give up their independence to one side or the other. But —with eagle eyes—WATCH RUSSIA! Meanwhile, focus your attention on your own business. National activity is 10 per cent above the 1939 level. In the main, I am sticking to my New Year forecast for the first half of 1940—that business will average close to 10 per cent above the same months of a year ago!

Daughter Of Tom Mix To Appear In Willacy Show

Rodeo Set May 11-12 In Raymondville; Big Legion Auxiliary Dance To Follow



TOM MIX AND DAUGHTER (OF WILLACY)

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RAYMONDVILLE — Thirteenth annual two-day rodeo will be held here Saturday and Sunday, May 11 and 12, with prizes to winning cowboys in break-away roping, bronc riding, bull riding and wild cow milking, according to Howard Cragg, director.

Preceding the Saturday rodeo, a parade will be held here at 10:30 a. m. Street dance will be held Saturday night, sponsored by the local American Legion Auxiliary, on a rug 225 feet long.

Mrs. Ruth Mix Cragg, daughter of Tom Mix, and other local riders and ropers, will appear and contest for prizes. Mrs. Cragg has appeared at Madison Square Garden, with the Tom Mix Circus, and at the World's Fair, and is considered an expert roper and shot. One pair of hand-made Justin boots will be given to the winner in bronc riding each day, and to the winner in break-away roping, and Levi pants to the winner in bull riding.

Willacy riders appearing in the quadrille, feature of the rodeo, will include Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tate, Mr. and Mrs. Bryon Campbell, Maureen Cheney, Ray Cheney, Mr. and Mrs. Bland Durham, Fred Tate, Billy Conley, Mrs. Fay King, Jack Brady, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Woods, nad others.

Banquet Set

McAllen Rotary To Observe Founding

McALLEN — Rotarians of McAllen will observe their 20th anniversary with a banquet at the Casa de Palmas Hotel at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday. Ladies will be special guests.

Representatives of the San Benito club, which sponsored the establishment of the McAllen organization, will also be present. Joe Netzer of Laredo, district governor, will be a featured speaker.

E. A. Polzin, president of the McAllen club, will act as toastmaster.

Oil Men Are Warned Higher Taxes Coming

AMARILLO—(AP)—Panhandle oil men were told to "put on fighting clothes" and inform the public all money they take in isn't velvet if they expect to halt threatened additions to taxes they are now paying.

Speaking to the Panhandle Producers and Royalty Owners Association, George C. Gibbons, Dallas, executive vice president of the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association, declared "there seems to be in the air a lot of ideas that you men are filthy rich and ought to pay more."

New Panhandle Oil Laws Withdrawn

AUSTIN—(AP)—Proposed new regulations for the Panhandle oil field have been withdrawn indefinitely by the Texas Railroad Commission.

The regulations had been scheduled to become operative May 1. The commission said in a order made public Saturday that they were withdrawn "until the commission has had additional time in which to study their effect upon the reservoirs and the production of oil and gas." Meanwhile the old field rules were continued in effect.

Lake Charles Man To Head War Vets

SHREVEPORT, La.—(AP)—S. Arthur Knapp, Lake Charles, was elected new state commander of the United Spanish War Veterans and De Ridder named as the convention town for 1941 at the chief business session Saturday of the 18th encampment of the order.

Gen. J. Rosenthal, Alexandria, was elevated from junior vice-commander to senior vice-commander and Arthur Marullo, New Orleans, was elected junior vice commander.

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and TUBS! Good old reliable galvanized metal tubs like folks used to save for Saturday nights . . . No. 0 size . . . You can have one of them for only— 39c

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Walnut finished MAGAZINE RACK; you know, those things you fall over, and hold everything but the one you are looking for. Regular $1.49 value— 79c

"Second-hand" ELECTRIC IRONS. We tested them once and they worked; they're trade-ins and repossessions— 39c

36-piece PICNIC PACKAGE; complete service for six people . . . can be used either by kinfolks or just friends; have 6 large paper plates, 6 ice-cream plates, 6 side plates, 6 napkins, 6 cups, and 6 spoons . . . all paper and can be used just once. Ideal set to have on hand because you might need a picnic lunch right quick. Regular 10c seller. 5c

Walnut finished WASTE PAPER BASKET; another good item to fall over, especially at night . . . made of solid hardwood. It's a regular $1.00 value, but we'll sell one for— 59c

Here's to the NAVY. An attractive and novel ANCHOR SHELF . . . something like a "what not" but different. Sure, things could fall off it. Was 98c . . . NOW only— 69c

These 3-foot AWNINGS are in our way. Only Friday night "Confucius" (our elevator boy in Brownsville) fell over a pile of them and skinned his nose . . . and we're mad enough to sell them now at only— 39c

PANELS: Only one of a kind . . . and what kinds they are. You might like them . . . we don't; Yours for the sum of 4c

CHILD ROCKERS: Have any children in your home? Or in a neighbor's home? Well, this is a regular $1.98 value . . . but now only— 98c

PHONOGRAPH RECORDS . . . Remember the old tunes? They may be on some of these records, for they're "sure-nuff" old . . . Some people might be tempted to almost call them "junk"; Bundle of TEN records for only 19c

WIENER ROASTERS . . . regular ten-cent value . . . good for at least one trip to the beach . . . maybe more if you don't lose them. Each at 5c

Got a SQUEAK in your home? Nothing like a can of HOUSEHOLD OIL to pour on the troubled hinges. You get a can full (and the can) for— 5c

STATUES of your comic (?) strip favorites . . . MAGGIE, or JIGS, or that old spinach-eating sailor called POPEYE . . . Good to throw . . . or knock over; might be attractive if well cared for. Regular 98c value— 49c

Did you ever cry when you peeled or chopped onions? Well, those good old days are gone forever . . . they've invented an ONION CHOPPER for— 19c

Kapok SOFA PILLOWS with fancy covers. Light enough to float; not much good in a pillow fight . . . could be called attractive— 29c

How about a nice DOLL and DOLL CARRIAGE? A regular $2.98 outfit that we are willing to let you take home (or take to someone else's home) for some little girl to get a lot of fun out of, for only— $1.49

Twin CANDY DISH . . . worth 29 cents . . . you don't have to be a twin to buy one . . . We'll sell one of these to anyone willing to risk only— 10c

Regular $1.49 FISH AQUARIUM for gold fish . . . or you might be able to put a few flowers in the bowl if you don't have a gold fish— 89c

Got a dime? Buy a three-piece regular 29c Mayonnaise dish and spoon for only ten cents. Or a regular 29c divided CANDY DISH for a dime.

WALL SHELVES: Stuck with a lot of them . . . . we think they'd look better in your home than in our stores. Good for bridge prizes; supposed to be hung up on the wall. Regular $1.39 and $1.49 values— 69c
Regular $1.69 and $1.98 values now at 89 cents each.

P. S.—All this junk, and dozens of other items that are not worth advertising, are mixed up with it. C'mon, take a chance on this stuff . . . we did . . . be a good sport . . . come see 'em, anyway

Of course you don't have any flies in your home—but we overbought on some 6-ounce cans of "FLY-DED" complete with spray gun. We don't have flies, either, so must get rid of this outfit to some one.

So—the spray gun and the 6-ounce can of "FLY-DED" are offered complete for only—

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COUNTY BACK TAX PROGRAM SHOWS GAINS

Hidalgo Collections Holding Steady

EDINBURG—Hidalgo county has completed approximately one-fourth of the task outlined for her when county commissioners decided more than a year ago to press the work of clearing up delinquent taxes.

This estimate was made Saturday by Harry Hall, special county attorney in charge of delinquent tax collections, in a review of the property situation and a forecast of what it will undergo in the future.

In round figures, the county had about $2,000,000 in "collectable" delinquent taxes when its work was started with his designation as attorney in charge, Hall said. Last year's collections totalled about $450,000, or about one-fourth of the whole.

Instalment Payments

The work will continue steadily, with his staff working on the policy of getting delinquent taxpayers to start instalment payments rather than let the property go to public auction, Hall added. This is the theory on which the collection program has been based for the past year.

"The county in the long run will receive more actual cash and will have less property on its hands if this policy is continued," he predicted. Hall cited a number of instances in which both large and small property owners had become delinquent. They had almost decided, because of the large amount of taxes due, to let their holdings go to the county rather than redeem them, but had welcomed the instalment paying plan whereby over a period of time the overdue assessments were liquidated.

"If the county started filing tax suits right and left, taking judgments and acquiring the property where payments was not made, it would soon have a mass of acreage on its hands, unable to sell it and unable to realize any money from it," Hall said. "Instead, the property owner is retaining his land, is paying the back taxes in instalments, and the county is getting the money."

Endanger Valuation

Any largelscale collection drive through tax suits and consequent acquisition of property on the county's part would also endanger the county-wide valuations figure, on which major tax income is based, the attorney declared. He said such acquisition on 20,000 or 30,000 acres of land, as an example, would threaten reduction of land valuations from a county-wide total of about $35,000,000, as at present, to possibly $25,000,000 or less. The resultant loss in tax revenue would impair county finances irreparably, in his opinion.

Hall's office is now at work on a plan to check all delinquent property in the county on a basis of abandonment. He said this would clear up a great amount of detail work in setting proper values on such property.

Sad Mistake

Water Carriers Won't Get Oil Money

REYNOSA, Mexico— (AP) —Water carriers and others in Reynosa are going to be sadly disillusioned, local officials declared Saturday.

The carriers have come to believe that they will soon receive dividends from the government's confiscation and operation of foreign-owned oil properties.

Just how the misinformation was circulated, officials could not say, but they are having a hard time convincing the water carriers that they will not receive the oil dividend checks.

3 U. S. Ships Brave War Spread Threat And Sail For Spain

NEW YORK — (AP) — Despite the threat of trouble in the Mediterranean, three American ships, including the liner George Washington, with 225 passengers, sailed Saturday for Spain and Mediterranean ports.

The other ships are the United States line freighters Capulin and the American Export Lines' ship Excelsior.

Valley Woman Back From D.A.R. Parley

ALAMO — Mrs. E. S. Lammers, Alamo, returned Friday from a seven weeks' tour of the southern and eastern states and attendance at the D. A. R. Congress at Washington, D. C., where she was confirmed as state regent for Texas.

Mrs. Lammers was recently elected to the regency at the state D. A. R. meet in Denton. On the trip she attended the celebrated Azelea Trail Garden Week at Natchez, Miss., visited New York and several southern states.

WINTER VISITORS DINE

REYNOSA, Mexico—(AP)—Thirteen winter visitors of McAllen entertained Mrs. Cristina Guerra, Spanish instructor, with a dinner at Sam's Place here Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Marsden of Pennsylvania and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Perry of Oregon, were hosts. Special guests were Mr. and Mrs. Paul T. Vickers.

McCOLL RETURNS HOME

McALLEN—A. J. McColl, prominent McAllen land developer, seriously injured in an automobile crash several days ago, was dismissed from the McAllen Hospital Saturday and taken to his home. Physicians said his condition is still serious.

American Army Tests Its Blitzkrieg

70,000 Troops To 'Fight' In Biggest War Maneuvers In United States Peacetime History; Costs Taxpayers Million Dollars Per Day

By JAMES MARLOW

NEW ORLEANS —(AP)— The streamlined third army's 70,000 regulars begin moving Sunday for a million-dollar-a-day test of the nation's defense against lightning tactics now being used on the battlefields of Europe.

The war department has described the maneuver, costing about $28,000,000 and spreading in full force from May 11 through May 25 across western Louisiana and Eastern Texas, as the "high point in regular army training."

No foreign military attaches have been invited to witness this greatest peacetime war show in United States history.

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Learn From Germany

THE LESSONS LEARNED from the highly mobilized German army's blitzkrieg in Poland and even the motorized Italian columns in Ethiopia will be tested against an American background of cut-over pine land, valleys and rivers which army men termed probably the most ideal terrain in the nation for the problem at hand.

Regular army units from 33 states have been pulled into these "games" which will pit the "Blue" fourth corps, operating in Louisiana, against the invading "Red" 9th corps moving in from Texas across the Sabine river.

Probably the largest civilian corps ever organized to take part in American war games has been turned into an aircraft warning system in Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana and Arkansas. American legionnaires will be the backbone of this civilian group reporting on the movements of "Red" or invading army airplanes.

The quartermasters for months have been preparing to supply 177 freight carloads of food and 190 carloads of gasoline for the troops whose first units start moving at dawn Sunday toward Louisiana's make-believe battlefield.



The American army today begins a test of its own blitzkrieg, copied in part after the German style. Above is an example of how Germans use their blietzkrieg—a group of troops shown beside the huge transport plane which landed them in Oslo, Norwegian capital to reinforce earlier detachments which had occupied the city.

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At Full Strength

BOTH ARMY CORPS will have reached full strength by May 11 when they take up positions.

The clash will take place at top speed. For, from the conflicts abroad, the strategists have found that the shuttling of men and supplies by trucks permits a streamlined, "triangular" division to march 45 miles a day for long periods against 25 miles for the World war type of "square" division.

The new, more highly mobile "triangular" division needs less manpower—about 11,000 against 22,000 or more in the old type—and has three infantry regiments instead of four with a redisposition of artillery and supporting units.

The division—there are two or more to a corps—contains practically all of the various arms, is large enough to have effective striking force and small enough to be easily maneuvered and directed. Equipped with improved weapons, it has a fire power equivalent to that of the old-time divisions despite numerical inferiority.

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Animals Eliminated

ALL ANIMALS transportation of supplies has been eliminated. This strips the division to a fighting force which can be entrucked and moved 50 to 100 miles in a night as compared with the old rate of march of 12 to 15 miles.

A new type of cavalry fights from machines like tanks, armored or combat cars and scout cars.

Armed with rifles, machine guns, 37-MM guns and even 75-MM cannon, such a force has a wide radius of action with considerable striking power.

While the use of motors had already been thoroughly tried—as have the new weapons and type of equipment—the testing so far has been comparatively by units. The maneuvers this month will bring these units together on the grand scale.

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Plenty of Trucks

GENERAL GEORGE C. MARSHALL, chief of staff, said the 70,000 troops would have virtually complete transport and arms equipment for the games. He said mass orders for thousands of specially built military trucks had been so speeded at the war department's request that only a few 7 1-2-ton "prime movers" for heavy artillery would be missing.

"Some of the transport vehicles will be delivered during the maneuvers," he added, "but that is the sort of thing experienced in war time and war conditions will be simulated as far as possible."

Only the effect of projectiles will be missing. Camera guns and the observations of a hundred referees will estimate tha

HAYES TO SEE NAVY ROOKIES

Interviews Slated In Brownsville

BROWNSVILLE — Brownsville vicinity applicants for enlistment in the United States Navy will be interviewed at the federal building here Tuesday morning by I. B. Hayes, recruiting officer stationed at Harlingen.

Hayes will have an office on the fourth floor of the federal building, for his Tuesday interviews.

Applicants for enlistment must be from 18 to 31 years of age, he said Saturday, and must pass physical and mental examinations.

Explaining the educational requirements for enlistment, Hayes said "many eligible young men have the impression graduation from high school is necessary for enlistment in the navy," and this has kept them from making application.

"No specified amount of education is required, all applicants being given a general classification test to determine their native intelligence."

Hayes Saturday outlined the navy's fleet program for the next few months, that will include many Valley men who now are enlisted in the service.

Following the main phase of naval maneuvers, the fleet has been at anchor in Pearl Harbor, Honolulu.

Departure from home bases is expected for May 8, with tactical exercises en route, and the ships will arrive at Southern California about May 17.

Spring gunnery exercises will be held until June 28, when battleships and cruisers will depart for visits to ports in Puget Sound and in the Columbia River, via San Francisco.

Designated submarines and destroyers will cruise to Alaskan ports.

Nazi Envoy Delays Return From Turkey

ANKARA, Turkey—(AP)—German Ambassador Franz Von Papen Saturday postponed indefinitely his departure for Berlin to report to Adolf Hitler on the latest developments in the Near East.

The ambassador had arranged to take a train Friday night, but his plans were changed at the last minute on receipt of new instructions from Berlin, it was said.

Hickley May Be Due For Commerce Post

HYDE PARK, N. Y.—(AP)—President Roosevelt disclosed Saturday he probably would appoint Robert Hickley as assistant secretary of commerce.

In some quarters the statement was viewed as an indication of an additional presidential effort to undermine opponents of a government reorganization plan which would shift the CAA into the commerce department.

A man never reaches the highest degree of contentment until he becomes perfectly indifferent and thn he has nothing to live for.

Ferries Formed Chief County Worry In 1852

First Hidalgo County Commissioners' Court Laid Down Strict Rules

McALLEN—Ferries were an awful bother to commissioners of Hidalgo County in 1852.

There were no worries about bonded indebtedness, tax collections, road building and operating expenses. Just ferries.

The county seat 88 years ago was located on the Rio Grande at Edinburgh. Of course, Edinburg is the present county seat, but the two are not the same. The original Edinburgh is now Hidalgo.

Hidalgo County was formed in 1852, seven years after Texas was admitted to the union and 16 years after the republic won independence from Mexico.

Records of the first commissioners' court meeting are still maintained in the county clerk's office at Edinburg. Slightly faded, the records are still legible, although some of the fancy handwriting of the records is difficult to read.

The county judge in those days had the high sounding title of chief justice. Holding down the office for the first time in Hidalgo County was M. M. Stevens, G. S. Wood was sheriff and P. N. Burne, Yndalecio Dominguez and E. T. Merriman were commissioners. Francisco Tagles was the treasurer and Thadeus Rhodes was the clerk.

The first meeting was held September 2, 1852. Business consisted of approving bonds of county officials and settling the ferry business.

The first resolution passed by the commission follows:

"Resolved: That there be established two public ferries, one in front of Edinburgh and the other in front of Saint Louis, to be rented at $5 per month each with the privilege of the extent of three miles up and down the river and that the rates of ferriage shall not exceed for each person 6 1-4 cents; each horse and rider 12 1-2 cents; each lead horse or mule 6 1-4 cents; each cart 50 cents; each mule and cargo 12 1-2 cents; each barrel of freight 6 1-4 cents; each goat, sheep or hog two cents; each wagon $1; each yoke of oxen 12 1-2 cents; all cattle 6 1-4 cents;

"That all other ferries within the county shall pay $1 per month each, except those at Capote, Grangeno and in front of Reynosa Vieja, which shall pay $2.50 each and by so doing shall have the privilege as those at Edinburgh and Saint Louis."

Sometimes a man longs for tomorrow because he is ashamed of what he did not do today.

BEAN MEETS SCHEDULED

San Benito, Jardin Groups Called

BROWNSVILLE — Castor bean growers, and farmers interested in growing this crop, will gather at two meetings next week, according to announcement here by L. P. Jenness, purchasing agent of the Woburn Industries, which is launching the move in the Valley.

The first meeting will be held Tuesday night, starting at 8 o'clock, in the El Jardin school.

The second meeting will be held Wednesday night at 8 o'clock in the San Benito high school building.

M. D. L. Van Over, executive director of the Woburn Industries, will speak at both meetings, explaining such matters as the planting and growing of the bean, harvesting, markets, and the like.

Mr. Van Over is now in Dallas, accompanied by Col. W. E. Talbot, manager of the Brownsville chamber of commerce, working out details for the beginning of the industry here.

The Woburn Industries is distributing seed at Brownsville to farmers desiring to plant this new crop. A goal of 30,000 acres has been set to supply beans and leaves for the first unit of the processing plant the company is to build here.

Size of the plant, Mr. Van Over explains, depends on the amount of the bean planted.

Oil will be extracted from the bean, the residue will be made into a fertilizer, and an insecticide will be made from the leaves.

Aged Actress Dies In Home For Chorus Girls She Founded

LONDON —(AP)— Mrs. Edward Compton, 87, American-born actress and mother of British stage star Fay Compton and novelist Compton MacKenzie, died Saturday at the London club she founded for destitute chorus girls.

She was active on the stage from 1865 until 15 years ago. In 1882 she married the English actor, Edward Compton.

DEWEY UPHELD IN MARYLAND

Stassen To Answer FD's Charges

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Chairman Gillette (D-Iowa) disclosed Saturday that the Senate campaign investigating committee had found "very little" basis for complaints against Thomas E. Dewey's campaign for Maryland's 16 delegates to the Republican national convention.

Gillette did not specify the nature of the complaints received by the committee, but other committe members reported they charged improper expenditures.

The delegates will be chosen at a primary Monday, and Dewey is the only Republican entered. Senatorial primaries also will be held then, and Gillette said that investigations of the Senate races gave "reason to believe that the election will be conducted in such a way as to insure a free expression of opinion by the voters of Maryland."

President Roosevelt's assertion Friday that presidential and congressional candidates should stop making blanket condemnation of administration acts and specify what they would do if they were in power drew a reply today from Governor Harold Stassen of Minnesota.

Stassen said that the keynote address he is to make at the Republican national convention in Philadelphia would "include some of the answers to the questions posed Friday by the President."

Live Wire Knocks Valley Man Down, Hurts Him Badly

HARLINGEN—Jack Garland, 35, Mercedes, employe of Reinhart and Donovan, Oklahoma City contractor firm, was a Valley Baptist Hospital patient Saturday with a broken leg and severe scalp wound suffered when he conducted a live wire on an REA project north of Sebastian and was knocked to the ground.

Attaches at the hospital said Garland's condition was not serious. The accident occurred prior to 2 p. m. Saturday, on the Rural Electrification Administration high power line near Sebastian.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED: Lady to cook for gentleman in trailer for passage to any point in Illinois or Indiana. Write Box M-100, Monitor, McAllen.

PRISONER ASKS FOR OVERTIME ON HIS JAIL TERM

PITTSBURGH— (AP) —Energetic Charles D. Delphey, Jr., wants credit for the overtime he's put in at the county jail.

Asking a parole after serving six months of a one to three year sentence for false pretense, Delphey explained he worked 16 hours daily and added:

"Figuring the average working day of a man at eight hours, I have done a year's work in six months."

County court will hear his petition later.

AGED WORKER KILLED

BROWNWOOD—(AP)—Roy Fletcher, 61, construction worker, Saturday died from injuries and exposure following a boat collision on lake Buchanan early Friday. He was employed at the dam and was brought to a hospital here.

POLICE CHIEF TO MAKE TALK

McRay Will Appear At School

BROWNSVILLE — Col John A. McRay, Brownsville chief of police, will talk on "Juvenile Delinquency" at the open forum session Monday night at the Brownsville junior college.

The session will be held in room 224 of the junior college-high school building, beginning at 8 p. m.

Fred J. Khouri, high school-junior college faculty member, who presides at the open forum sessions each week, urged Saturday that those who attend "bring suggestions for subjects for following meetings."

"There will be an important announcement at the open forum Monday night," he added, concerning programs at future sessions of the forum.

The weekly open forum sessions are for the general public, and all interested in current events are invited to attend, hear the different speakers, and take part in the discussions.

McAllen Census Work Near End

McALLEN — Census enumerators Saturday apparently had ended their work in that section of McAllen west of Main street to 18th street and south of the highway, chamber of commerce officials announced.

The officials urged, however, that if anyone knows of individuals not counted to call the chamber of commerce and report the facts.

TOWN MEETING SET FRIDAY

San Benito Is To Sell Tickets Monday

SAN BENITO—The chamber of commerce Saturday set Friday, May 10, for the "town meeting" and annual chamber of commerce banquet. Claude L. Atkins, who is in charge of the meeting, said that tickets would be put on sale Monday for the dinner that is to be held at the Stonewall Jackson Hotel.

E. F. Brady, president of the chamber of commerce, will act as master of ceremonies and will probably have as the principal speaker Mayor Louis S. Witte. The new mayor is expected to outline many of the proposed programs of the city administration.

Brady will outline the chamber of commerce's program of work and policies for the coming year.

Atkins is urging that every citizen who is interested in the welfare and future well being of the city to be present at the meeting next Friday night. The price of the affair is expected to be very reasonable so as not to hinder anyone from attending.

Manager Don Wallace is preparing a special entertainment program for the "town meeting" that promises to be good.

Meet Delayed

Valley Traffic Unit Meets May 21

HARLINGEN — The bi-monthly meeting of the Valley Traffic Safety Association, to have been held this Tuesday, May 7, in Brownsville, has been postponed in deference to the Negro minstrel being stages that evening by the Harlingen Fire Department, association officers announced here Saturday.

The association meeting will be held in Brownsville on May 21, at 8 p. m., it was announced.

Maltese Troops For Allies Leave Malta

MALTA— (AP) —A contingent of Maltese troops destined for overseas service marched through cheering crowds Saturday for an inspection by the governor. Royal air force planes patrolled the skies Friday night as this island, guarding Britain's life line of empire through the Mediterranean, underwent a blackout.

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Region 14 Fire Marshal Meet Slated In Harlingen May 8

'U.S. Knows What It's All About'

Archduke Otto Is Amazed



ARCHDUKE OTTO
Amazed At U. S. News

PARIS—(AP)—The young Archduke Otto, heir to the Hapsburg throne of Austria, arrived in Paris Saturday on his way back to his retreat in Belgium after a six-weeks "study tour" in the United States.

Otto told reporters that he had picked up several ideas which would prove useful "during the reconstruction of Central Europe after the Allied victory."

What surprised him most about the Americans, Otto said, was that they were "marvelously informed" on the European situation.

He said he was impressed by "the hgih plane" on which the United States presidential campaign was developing. "No petty wrangling," he said, "and no personal rivalries. The national interest dominates all."

CIVIC CENTER PLANS READY

Committee Will Get Blueprints

McALLEN — Blueprints for the proposed addition to the McAllen Chamber of Commerce building will be presented at a meeting of the building committee Tuesday by 33Architect M. L. Waller.

When final approval is given by the committee, the prints will be rushed to the state National Youth Administration headquarters by District Supervisor H. C. Green for approval on a building contract. If the NYA approval is granted, labor for construction of the building will be provided by the NYA.

Working on material cost estimates are J. B. Morton, W. E. Crawford and G. Aubrey Thomas.

The extension is being constructed to provide ample space for tourist entertainment next year and to accommodate small conventions which choose McAllen as a meeting place.

Roy Miller Denies Printed Statement On FD Third Term

DALLAS — (AP) — Roy Miller denied from Washington Saturday that he had made any statement to Frank C. Davis, Bexar county Garner leader, in regard to President Roosevelt's candidacy for re-election.

Miller was quoted by Davis in dispatches from San Antonio Friday night as having said that Roosevelt definitely is a third-term candidate. In San Antonio Saturday Davis said he had been misquoted, and stated that he told the reporter that his conversation had been with Tom Miller, Mayor of Austin.

Valley Pupils Take State Meet Seconds

AUSTIN—Valley high school Interscholastic League regional winners, competing in the state meet here Friday and Saturday, came out with two second places.

Dick Spreckles of Stuart Place was second to Diane Luckett of Cameron in shorthand; and Phyllis Reynolds, McAllen, was second in newspaper feature story writing.

Fort Worth Oil Man Is Pneumonia Victim

FORT WORTH—(AP)—R. A. Jimmie Cox, 43, independent oil operator here for a number of years, died here Saturday.

He was stricken wth pneumonia in Brownwood Thursday night as he stood in the derrick of a well he had just brought in that day. He was returned to a hospital here Friday.

Arctic Explorer In Critical Condition

PORT CHESTER, N. Y.—(AP)—Dr. Frederick A. Cook, 77-year-old Arctic explorer, suffered a cerebral hemorrhage Friday night and was taken to United Hospital. His condition was described Saturday as "fair."

LIQUID GAS STUDY WILL TOP PARLEY

Marvin Hall Plans To Attend

HARLINGEN — The Region 14 meeting of city fire marshals and fire chiefs will be held here May 8 to discuss fire inspections and fire investigations as a means of reducing fire losses, according to word from State Fire Commissioner Marvin Hall, who will come here with Eugene Sanders, fire prevention chief and assistant state fire marshal.

Representing Harlingen will be Mayor Hugh Ramsey, Fire Marshal R. P. Bledsoe and Fire Chief Jake C. Childress. Fire fighters and city officials from 19 South Texas cities will come here.

To Discuss Gas

A feature of the meeting will be a discussion f liquified petroleum gases, led by A. J. Bommer, engineer of the Underwriters Laboratories, Dallas. Butane explosions which have occurred at Weslaco and other Texas communities during the past two or three years, Hall said, brought out certain facts which now confront city officials, and detailed discussion regarding the handling, storing and use of butane gas is to be held.

Fire and city officials who will attend the Harlingen meeting include Mayor William Cloughley, Fire Marshal V. C. Smith and Fire Chief Tut Cadell of Alamo; Mayor Royce Russell, Fire Marshal W. C. Walker of Brownsville; Mayor B. B. Roberts, and Fire Marshal J. C. Seiver, of Donna; Mayor Otis McDaniel and Fire Marshal H. B. Minyard of Edcouch; Fire Marshal A. R. Winningham and Fire Marshal Elbert Sanders of Edinburg; Fire Marshal C. O. Atkins and Fire Chief Jack Downs of Falfurrias; Mayor J. E. Pate of Hidalgo.

Many Expected

Mayor A. H. Moore, Fire Marshal Ben Noblett and Fire Chief J. R. Foust of La Feria; Mayor Ray H. Elliott of Lyford; Mayor Horace Etchison, Fire Marshal C. C. Eckhoff and Fire Chief A. S. Myers of McAllen; Dr. D. L. Heidrick, mayor, Fire Marshal R. L. Yearwood and Fire Chief J. L. Bates of Mercedes; Mayor Logan Duncan, and Fire Marshal Ray Landry of Mission; Fire Marshal J. O. Ridings and Fire Chief Ward Walters of Pharr; Mayor H. D. Campbell, Fire Marshal G. W. McDougald and Fire Chief Ed Stapleton, of Raymondville.

Mayor Louis S. Witte, Fire Marshal Arthur McMillian and Fire Chief C. L. Potter of San Benito; Mayor W. F. Good, Fire Marshal Harold Schafroth, and Fire Chief Bryan E. Harris; Mayor J. L. Compere, Jr., Fire Marshal S. B. Bledsoe and Fire Chief J. R. Sawyer.

Commerce Aide Post May Go To Hinckley

HYDE PARK, N. Y. —(AP)— An unusual presidential announcement that the post of Assistant secretary of Commerce probably would go to Rober H. Hinckley appeared Saturday night to be designated to court additional support in Congress for the controversial proposal to shift the Civil Aeronautics Authority into the framework of the Commerce Department.

Nazis Say British Warship Crew Lost

BERLIN —(AP)— DNB, the official German news agency, expressed its belief Saturday night that all hands were lost in what it officially described as the sinking of a 30,000 ton British battleship of the Queen Elizabeth class off Nams[illegible].

Such a battleship normally carries more than 1,100 men.

Germany Claims 98 British Ships Hit

BERLIN —(AP)— Germany has claimed that at least 98 British naval ships have been "sunk, destroyed or set afire" by Nazi air and naval action and mines in the eight month period from September 3, 1939 to May 3, 1940, an unofficial compilation showed Saturday night.



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at Her Favorite Store!

Shop for Mother here, where she shops herself. Choose the charming, gracious fashions she loves . . . all newly arrived, wonderfully inexpensive!

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Millinery Dept.

Hertz Style Shop

They're Ready For Minstrel Show



This group of black face comedians will take part in the presentation of the Harlingen Firemen's Minstrel Show at municipal auditorium Tuesday at 8 p. m., proceeds of which will go toward the firemen's burial fund. From left to right they are Joe Junkin, S. R. "Chick" Horton, W. C. "Bill" Black, Miss Burrdee Whitley, C. E. "Happy Henderson, B. D. Whitley, director, and Ralph P. Bledsoe. In front are little Peggy Fitzgerald and Allan Fitzgerald.

Valley Citrus Grower Advocates New Plan To Solve Ills Of Young Industry

HARLINGEN—Establishment of a committee on a new basis to regulate the Valley citrus industry by fixing minimum prices, restricting shipment of low grades and small sizes of fruit, and raising an advertising fund is advocated by W. A. Mitchell, prominent Stuart Place grower, in a statement sent to The Star.

He suggests a planning committee composed of 12 persons, six growers, two independent shippers, one co-operative representative, one representative from the state department of agriculture, one banker and State Senator Rogers Kelley. It is suggested that someone who feels himself competent select a second person and that the two select a third and so on until 12 men are chosen.

The plan calls for consultation between the planning committee and another dozen of the most representative growers and shippers to go over the plan for the purpose of perfecting it.

The plan would not affect any marketing agreements, and growers would not be required to sign any pledge to market his fruit through independent or co-operative associations. He would sign a pledge, however, to observe regulations of the control committee. Shippers would be licensed. "It is my suggestion," Mitchell wrote, "that minimum prices be fixed for all fruit on the trees as follows: White Marsh $10, pink grapefruit $15 per ton and other varieties as the committee may deem proper."

The prices would be for marketable number two fruit or better and the price of juice fruit would be fixed as a minimum of seven dollars delivered to juice plants of five dollars per ton on trees. In harvesting, before fruit is ripe enough for juice, cash buyers would be required to harvest only fruit which would grade No. 2 or better until after December 1 or until juice plants begin operation. After juice plants open for business, cash buyers would be required to clean trees, but would pay the price set for No. 2 or better and five dollars for all fruit grading lower.

Shipment of fruit below No. 2 grade and smaller than 112's to fresh fruit markets would be prohibited.

No fruit would be allowed to be shipped before November 1 or thereafter until it is really good for human consumption.

Mitchell believes an advertising fund should be raised at so much per box assessment. A general assessment to cover all control as well as advertising might be made, he said.

Every possible safeguard through accounting and auditing should be provided for the expenditures of money by the conrtol committee which would be appointed to carry out the plan.

BORDER OFFICERS * * * * * AUCTION A HOG * * * * * TO RECOVER FEES

BROWNSVILLE—Wanna buy a hog?

The Brownsville police department has one that will be sold to the highest bidder, come May 9, at 10 a.m.

The animal has been in the city pound, until about $5 of pound fees have been chalked up against it.

It will be sold at the city pound, to the highest bidder, at 10 a.m. Thursday. The pound is located on Sixth street between Ringgold and Filmore.

He's a gentleman hog, by the way.

Three Oil Companies Study Big Pipeline

NEW YORK— (AP) —A 1,200-mile pipe line from southeastern oil fields to southern Atlantic seaboard states is under study of three leading oil companies, it was learned Saturday.

The pipe line, which will cost from $15,000,000 to $20,000,000, according to present plans, if approved, would be built jointly by Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey, Standard Oil of Kentucky, and Shell Oil interests.

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VINES FURNITURE CO.

McAllen 205-207 S. Main "The Store of Easy Terms"

LIBRARY SITE IS DEDICATED

San Benito To Start Finance Drive

SAN BENITO—Mayor Louis L. Witte, on behalf of the city commission Saturday presented the San Benito Public Library with dedication of the city park opposite the Stonewall Jackson Hotel to be used as a site for erection of proposed public library and community center now being studied.

Plans for the building have grown from the original proposed for a library only to a ten to fifteen thousand dollar structure to be used as a community center. Library officials said Saturday that present plans will probably be redrafted from present rambling ranch style to more appropriate design to harmonize with the new site.

A large group of finance campaign workers are making final arrangements for sale of library bonds to begin next week.

Down town headquarters for campaign workers will be in the Sublett Building.

All civic organizations are cooperating through the chamber of commerce for the drive headed by general committee of Mrs. O. L. Byrd, Mrs. J. O. Prentiss, Mrs. C. E. Barber, Mrs. J. D. Casey, W. W. Housewright, Bob Collins, Ted Mahone and Son Wallace.

Car Kills Texas Man Walking On Road

MINERAL WELLS—(AP)—A man identified by papers found on his body as Edgar Markham, 35, of Hawkins, Tex., was killed Saturday when he was struck by an automobile while walking down the highway.

The body was taken to Weatherford.

Child Catching Frog Is Drowned In River

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Jack Carroll, 11, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Carroll, drowned late Saturday afternoon in Clear Fork of the Trinity River, near Forest Park when he slipped and fell backwards while trying to catch a frog.

CRAMPS PROVE FATAL

OLNEY—(AP)—William E. Spoonts, 15, son of Megargel, drowned Saturday when he apparently was stricken by cramps while swimming.

LONESOME



When Mrs. John Hallinan went into a railroad station at Kansas City, her train left without her, but her 17-months old son, Johnny, was aboard. A railroad nurse cared for Johnny, but he didn't seem too happy over traveling alone when he arrived in Chicago (above). Mrs. Hallinan followed on a train an hour later.

Fisherman Drowned As Boat Overturns

DENTON—(AP)—Bob Harris, 35, drowned Saturday at Lake Dallas when a boat from which he was fishing with his 14-year-old son ard Alvie Rich of Dallas overturned.

Rich towed the boy, who could not swim, about 400 feet to shore. Harris' body was recovered by Denton firemen an hour later.

1,200 WITNESS MAY PROGRAM

McAllen Fete Draws Large Crowd

McALLEN — McAllen's first annual May fete was staged Friday night at the high school athletic field before an estimated audience of 1,200 people.

Students of the Lincoln and McAllen junior high schools combined to present one of the most spectacular shows the school organizations have promoted in a long time.

May Queen Janet Losh was crowned by King Jimie Suttle after a retinue of 15 duchesses and their attendants filled the large flower-decked platform erected for the occasion. Beautifully dressed young student dancers presented a routine of 19 different colorful dances in addition to acrobatic feats performed by members of the school's gymnasium classes.

Around three May poles, the center of attraction in the field, gay traditional May time dances were presented.

Approximately 500 students from the two schools staged the program assisted by members of the schools' bands.

Financier Speaks

Donna Rotary Hears U. S. Gold Talk

DONNA—Outlining the duties of the small commercial bank to the community it serves, S. H. Collier, president of the First National Bank of Mercedes, spoke here Friday at Rotary Club luncheon on money and banking.

Collier said it apparently will be only a question of time until the United States government has the world's gold supply, since this nation holds about 70 per cent of the total now.

"What would be used as a stand for a rate of exchange in case the United States does get all the gold, is not known, nor is it known what method of distribution could be decided upon," Collier said.

James Westbrook, district supervisor of the Natoinal Youth Administration, talked on aims and objects of the NYA in the Valley.

Visiting Rotarians included Gregory Smith, H. P. Griffen, McAllen; Weber Dallman, Weslaco; Henry Samuels, Edinburg.

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Colorful 5 PIECE KITCHEN CUTLERY SET GENUINE Stainless Steel VALUE $2.50



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PABCO FELT BASE Rugs Guaranteed SIZE 9x12



This remarkable offer is for a limited time only. The beautiful 5-piece set of "Stainless Steel" kitchen knives contains the five most needed items in kitchen cutlery—made of high test quality stainless steel and, like the famous PABCO floor coverings, will not rust, stain, tarnish or discolor. This cutlery is the improved stainless steel—can be sharpened and will hold its keen cutting razor edge. Handles are of beautiful Chinese Red—the complete set in attractive box.

A GREAT COMBINATION VALUE . . .
STAINLESS STEEL and THIS 9x12 RUG

Pabco floor coverings are the outstanding values of today. The exclusive surface wil give years of "carefree" wear. As easy to clean as a china dish. Pabco excels in tests for wearA resistance to moisture and stains, finish and appearance. Now with this lovely gift offer—the greatest value of the day! Come in and see for yourself.

For limited time only . . . hurry!

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McALLEN—205-207 S. MAIN "THE STORE OF EASY TERMS"

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Interpreting The War News

Norse Conquest May Still Prove Costly

Best British Can Claim, However, Is That They Retreated With Few Losses

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON

The factual picture resulting from less than four weeks of Allied-German fighting in Norway is grimly clear in an utter and stinging defeat for Franco-British arms; but it still could prove a pyrrhic victory for Germany.

The Allies went to save Norway from the clutch of the Nabi invader. They fled the field by order of the high command, under protection of the very Norwegians they sought to rescue but have apparently abandoned to their fate.

Hero Who Ran

It must cause sardonic amusement in Berlin that the first British soldier-hero of this war is the general who stage-managed the retreat from Trondheim with minimum losses. It could have been worse.

That is about the best that British public opinion, newly steeled to a grin-and-take-it mood by its war leaders, yet can make of those fast-paced weeks in Norway. But it clearly does not tell all the story.

Leaving aside the effect of the Trondheim episode on the leadership of Prime Minister Chamberlain of England and Premier Reynaud of France, events of incalculable consequence otherwise have been set in train by what happened in Norway. The nerve center of the Allied-German war has shifted back to southeastern Europe and the Mediterranean.

Il Duce Is Pivot

Rome and Il Duce, Mussolini, are the pivots on which the next happenings of major consequence seem destined to turn. The full heat of Allied force-politics has been turned on Italy to induce her to disclose her true role in the conflict.

In the face of defeat in Norway London and Paris are challenging the Rome-Berlin axis fellowship to a showdown. That they expect quick results to overshadow the Trondheim episode seems obvious.

Chamberlain muzzled his critics on the home front by hinting vaguely at impending greater developments which would prove the futile Allied attempt to save Trondheim to be a mere incident. Reynaud has left defense of Allied war leadership in this crisis to his British colleague. They necessarily stand or fall together and the test for both may come within days.

That either man can long survive politically against the brewing storm of criticism of the Norwegian adventure is doubtful.

Explanations Due

Conjecture is already astir as to what actually underlay both the German invasion of Norway and the apparently misjudged and futile Allied attempt to meet it. Parliament has been promised a fuller accounting this week by both Chamberlain and his leading military adviser, Winston Churchill. It will be a difficult assignment if they cannot show cause convincingly both for sending and withdrawing Allied landing forces.

DOLLAR DAYS PLANNED FOR BROWNSVILLE

May 6 Launches Big Monday Events

BROWNSVILLE — Four red-hot "Dollar Days" and an "Appreciation Day" when they may cash in again on the bargain offers, are in store for Brownsville and Valley residents.

Beginning May 6, "Dollar Day" specials will be offered each of four Mondays, by 34 Brownsville merchants, in a campaign being staged by the Brownsville Chamber of Commerce merchants' committee in cooperation with the Brownsville Herald.

On "Appreciation Day," the fifth Monday, customers can "cash in" the "appreciation money" they receive from purchases on the four "Dollar Days."

List Specials

On the Sunday preceding each "Dollar Day," advertisements in the Valley Sunday Star-Monitor-Herald will advise customers of the red-hot specials being offered.

Each merchant will advertise only one special, to be sold for $1, on each of the "Dollar Days." Other bargains, however, will be found in the stores.

"Appreciation money" will be presented on the purchase of any article in the cooperating stores on the different "Dollar Days."

For each 20 cents of purchases on "Dollar Days," the merchants will present one "appreciation money" coupon, worth one cent "cash" on purchases of merchandise in any of the cooperating stores.

Cash Equivalent

On "Appreciation Day," the fifth Monday, the coupons become the equivalent of cash, and can be used for purchase at any of the cooperating stores.

Coupons from several different stores can be "cashed in" at any of the cooperating stores, on "Appreciation Day," regardless of which business establishment or establishments presented the coupons.

The coupons actually are worth one cent, on "Appreciation Day," for the purchase of merchandise at the cooperating stores.

George Aziz is chairman of the chamber of commerce merchants' committee cooperating with the Herald for the big "Dollar Days" program.

Lewis Chairman

R. W. Lewis is chairman of the "Dollar Days" and "Appreciation Day" events, and any additional information concerning the program can be obtained from him at the F. W. Woolworth store.

All cooperating stores and the chamber of commerce are planning moves to further the "Dollar Day" events and secure the largest possible participation of customers in the five-week program of bargains.

The city's streets will be decorated with dollar marks to call customers' attention each of the days on which the red-hot specials are offered and the "appreciation money" distributed.

Wear Dollar Bills

Clerks in the stores will wear dollar bills on their neckties, to remind all shoppers to look for the "Dollar Day" specials and to obtain their "appreciation money."

All of the participating stores will be decorated with "Dollar Day" pennants.

The advertisements appearing in the newspaper the Sunday before each "Dollar Day" will set forth the different specials for each day. New $7 specials will be announced each Sunday for the Monday following.

The advertisement appearing the Sunday before "Appreciation Day" will list other bargains, not necessarily $1 items, to aid the customer in "spending" his "appreciation money."

Merchants Co-operating

Merchants cooperating in the "Dollar Days" and "Appreciation Day" events are as follows:

Aziz Brothers, the Book Inn, Berwald Shoe Store, Bollack's Department Store, Batsell-Wells Sporting Goods, Brownsville Hardware Company, the Cotton Shop, Collins Toggery, Center Grocery, Dorfman's Jewelry Store.

Den-Russ Pharmacy, Edelstein's Better Furniture, (Brownsville store only), Eagle Pharmacy, Inc., Firestone Service Store, Gimble's Ladies' Wear, Grant's Department Store, Jitney Jungle Stores (Brownsville only), Lackner's Jewelry Store, Inc., Lion Auto Store Leon the Hairstylist, Manautou's Department Store, Mary-Frances Shop.

Model Laundry, McChesney Department Store, J. C. Penny Company, Perl Brothers — Fashion Piggly Wiggly Store, Pipkin-Manske Motors, A. Rogers Photo Company Sherwin Williams Paints, Samano's Drug Store, Valentin's Department Store, Western Auto Supply, Woolworth's Store.

Ex-Convicts Held

2 Negroes Charged In Knife Murders

FRESNO, Calif.—(AP)—Two Negro ex-convicts were arrested in Fresno Saturday and will be charged, police said, with the knife murders of a young man and woman in Stockton.

Detective Sergeants A. B. McCreary of Fresno and R. C. Parker of Stockton said the men arrested were Henry Jones, 38, and Dewey Clark, 29, both former inmates of a prison camp at Keene, Kern county.

The slain persons were Nathan Chinchiolo, 23, Stockton; and his girl companion, Dorothy Woofter, 19. They were found dead in a wheat field. Both victims' throats had been slashed, and Miss Woofter had been raped.

Mexico City-Laredo Highway Endangered By Fogs And Clouds

MEXICO CITY—(AP)—The highway division of the secretary of communications and public works Saturday warned motorists to travel with caution in the mountainous region of the Pan-American highway between Mexico City and Laredo, because of thick fog and poor visibility.

Mercury Mines In Mexico May Face Threat Of Strike

MEXICO CITY —(AP)— Mexico's most important mercury mines, located in Huizunco, State of Guerrero, were threatened Saturday with a strike May 11 as workers demanded a 50 per cent increase in their wages.

Fugitive Is Sought

CHANDLER, Okla.—(AP)—County Attorney Frank McVey said Saturday that Dick Broyles, Oklahoma fugitive from a Texas prison, would stand trial here for the armed robbery of a Stroud filling station Monday night.

Head For Maneuvers

SELFRIDGE FIELD, Mich.—(AP)—Twenty-eight pursuit ships and 13 transport planes carrying maintenance crews left the army air field here Saturday for Louisiana to participate in extensive maneuvers based on the latest lessons from the battle fields of Europe.

Save With Used
BRICK
Lumberman Langford
BROWNSVILLE

Come to Brownsvil



34 Bargains!

Summer Ties
Regularly $1.00 Value
Choice Assortment—
Dollar Day Special— 2 for only $1
COLLINS TOGGERY
Twelfth and Elizabeth

FREE
One 10c Package NEWPORT COFFEE
One 10c Package Brown's SALTINES
$1.00 Worth of Groceries
(Your Own Selection)
Total Value $1.20—
Dollar Day Special—All for . . . $1
JITNEY JUNGLE
BROWNSVILLE STORES ONLY

LOOK! READ!

With Each 20c Purchase Monday You Get Ap

Here Are Some of The Many Values Y

Attractive Metal
Smoking Stand
Regular $1.49 Value
Dollar Day Special $1
Edelstein's Better Furniture
No Coupons with Rummage Sale Purchases
BROWNSVILLE STORE ONLY

FREE!
Any 10c ITEM in our store with the purchases of other merchandise amounting to $1
W. F. WOOLWORTH CO.

Men's Good Quality
FANCY STRIPED BROADCLOTH SHORTS $1
Exceptional Value at 25c each
DOLLAR DAY PRICE 5 FOR
E. MANAUTOU
12th and Washington

FREE!
$1.00 Worth of Wallpaper with every $1.00 worth purchased at regular price. $1
See Other $1.00 Paint Specials in Our Store
SHERWIN-WILLIAMS CO.
1240 Elizabeth Phone 1181

8 Ice Teaspoons or 8 Salad Forks $1
Guaranteed Silver Made by International Silver Co.
Regular $2 Value, Dollar Day Price—
Dorfman's Jewelry Store
The Valley's Finest for More Than 16 Years

Shampoo, Finger Wave, Manicure $1
1.25 Value— All For .....
Appointments must be made and filled on Monday or as early as possible thereafter.
LEON The Hairstylist
Phone 1121

4 Pieces of Popular SHEET MUSIC $1
35c each, a $1.40 Value—
SPECIAL FOR .....
"The Singing Hills", "How High the Moon", "A Lover's Lullaby", "Darn That Dream", "Too Romantic", "Ooh! What You Said", and others.
THE BOOK INN
Capitol Theatre Bldg. Phone 1683

Pyrex Ware $1
DOUBLE DUTY CASSEROLE—
Round utility cover, 1½ qt. size.
Regularly 65c—
SIX 5-OZ. DAINTY CUSTARD CUPS—
Thin, rimless, regularly 39c—
9-INCH PIE PLATE—
Regularly 25c—
MEASURING CUP—Regularly 15c—
TOTAL VALUE $1.44, ALL FOR .....
BROWNSVILLE HDW. CO.
1126 WASHINGTON PHONE 668

NATIONALLY KNOWN
SHIRTCRAFT "AIRMAN" SHIRTS $1
Regularly sold for $1.65
DOLLAR DAY SPECIAL
PERL BROS.—FASHION
STORE FOR MEN

BRAKE ADJUSTMENT, RE-PACK FRONT WHEELS $1
with Fibre Grease
Tighten Spring U-Bolts—
A 2.50 Value .....
FIRESTONE AUTO SUPPLY & SERVICE STORES
GORDON WHITE, MGR.
703 Elizabeth St. Phone 671

Boys' Knit Zipper Front
POLO SHIRTS $1
Regular 59c Shirts
DOLLAR DAY PRICE 4 for ....
Please look at our windows for other Dollar Day Specials
AZIZ BROS. Brownsville

FREE! $1
1 Can of Bee Brand Insect Spray—
With the purchase of canned goods totaling .....
CENTER GRO. & MKT.

ITALIAN BALM 35c
DRESKIN COOLIES 20c
WOODBURY SOAP 10c
WOODBURY CREAM 50c
CALOX TOOTH POWDER 30c
WEST TOOTH BRUSH 35c
Total Value $1.80
SPECIAL OFFER $1
Select your Mother's remembrance for Mother's Day, May 12, from our nice line.
EAGLE PHARMACY, Inc.
757 Elizabeth Phone 26

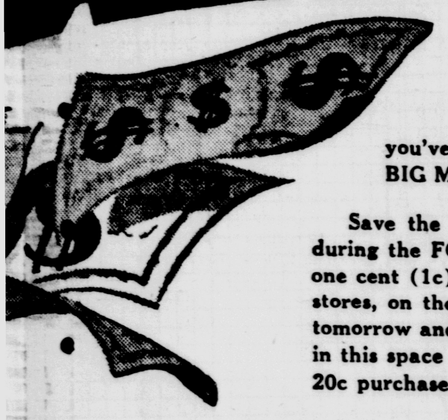
Lace Panels $1
USUAL SCRANTON QUALITY
Beautiful biege lace, standard window size. Limit 6 per customer.
2 For .....
(1.58 Value)
BOLLACK'S

1 Basket of H. E. B. Brand
Groceries Values $1.19 $1
Your Own Selection
Dollar Day Special Only
PIGGLY WIGGLY Brownsville

This Is Your Opportunity to Save Dollars!
Tomorrow Is a Dollar Monday. Come to Brownsville. Spend and Save

le Monday! for It's...

AR DAY



Tomorrow will be the first of FIVE BIG MONDAYS in Brownsville. The first four will be DOLLAR MONDAYS—each a Dollar Day that will bring you values you've often wished for but very seldom ever seen. The FIFTH BIG MONDAY, June 3rd, will be APPRECIATION DAY!

Save the Appreciation Money given you with each 20c purchase during the FOUR DOLLAR MONDAYS. Each certificate is good for one cent (1c) and may be used as cash in any of the 34 participating stores, on the FIFTH BIG MONDAY, APPRECIATION DAY! Start tomorrow and patronize the participating merchants offering bargains in this space . . . each will give you Appreciation Money with every 20c purchase made on Monday.

Don't Forget MONDAY'S the BIG DAY!

preciation Money FREE . . . . . Good for CASH!

ou'll Find in Brownsville . . . Tomorrow.

Heavy Duty, High Quality
Inner Tubes
ALL SIZES
4.40 x 21, 4.50 x 21, 4.75 x 19,
5.25 x 18, 5.50 x 18, 5.25 x 17,
5.50 x 17, 6.00 x 16, 6.00 x 17.
Regularly priced to 2.00—
While they last $1
LION AUTO STORE
Home Owned — Home Operated

DeLuxe 1-Gallon Pour-Spout
THERMIC JUG $1
SANITARY — RUST-PROOF
Regular $1.69 Value—
Dollar Day Special Only
Western Auto Associate Store
1207 ELIZABETH

BUY! SAVE!

FREE! $1
8 Salad Forks or
8 Ice Teaspoons Selling
Regularly for .....
WITH THE PURCHASE
of a 26-piece set of Silverware
for $5.00.
R. L. LACKNER Jeweler and Optometrist
"The Valley's Oldest Established Jeweler"

One Ladies' Printed
Rayon Crepe Dress $1
$1.49 Value
Special on Dollar Day Only
McChesney's Dry Goods Store
Eleventh Between Elizabeth and Washington

Pocket Knives $1
The Famous Ka-Bar.
Any Knife up to
1.45, Special .....
See Our Window for Other
$1.00 Bargains
BATSELL-WELLS
Exclusive Sporting Goods

Wash and Grease Job $1
Any Make Car
$1.75 Value
Dollar Day Special Only
PIPKIN-MANSKE MOTORS
Super-Service Station — 9th & Levee

Your Mother's Day Gift $1
BEAUTIFUL
11 x 14 ETCHING EFFECT
PORTRAIT SPECIAL . .
Appointments must be made
and collected for on Monday.
SEE OUR SPECIAL $1.00 WINDOW
A. ROGERS PHOTO CO.
1117 Levee Phone 99

WASHABLE
Rayon Prints $1
Fast Color — 39 inches wide
Brand New Summer Prints
3 Yards for .....
This Was Much More
J. C. PENNEY CO., Inc.
Your Brownsville Penney Store

1 LOT OF KID
SANDALS $1
Genuine leather—White, Brown
and white. Were 2.85 and 3.85.
SPECIAL .....
BERWALD'S SHOE STORE

Regular 19c the Yard
Sheer Remnants $1
8 Yards on Dollar Day Only
or 12½c the Yard
1,000 yards of printed dimities, voiles and organdies at less than cost price if bought on the bolt.
W. T. GRANT CO.
1117 Elizabeth

BLANKETS $1
LAUNDERED OR
DRY CLEANED
(Any Size)
4 FOR .....
MODEL LAUNDRY
and Dry Cleaning Company, Inc.
Phone 1

$2.00 BOTTLE $1
Dorothy Gray Blustering
Weather Lotion
Dollar Day Special Only
SAMANO'S DRUG STORE
Next to Penney's

Suede and Cape
BELTS $1
Whites and Pastel Shades.
Latest Style Buckles.
REGULARLY 1.98
SPECIAL .....
MARY-FRANCES SHOP

LADIES'
Summer Bags $1
You'll like the new styles
Regularly $1.50
Dollar Day Price, each—
Vari-Colored Kid
GIMBLE'S LADIES' WEAR
1155 Elizabeth

1.00 JAR OF BOYER
Mystery Cleansing Cream
50c BOX OF BOYER
Flowers of Beauty Face Powder
25c BOTTLE OF BOYER
Liquid French Brilliantine
ALL FOR $1
Other Specials Throughout Our Store
DEN-RUSS PHARMACY

Dress Lengths $1
3, 3½ and 4-Yd. Lengths
Big Selection of Patterns
Silk Crepes and Rayons
$1.50 Values—Dollar Day Only
VALENTIN'S DEPT. STORE
Eleventh and Washington

"MARCY LEE" DRESSES $1
Special Group of 1.98 Values
All sizes, 9 to 17 and 12 to 46.
Washable materials . . . . Spuns,
Sheers, etc.
SPECIAL .....
COTTON SHOP
Queen Theatre Annex

Ask for Appreciation Money
Save Your Appreciation Money. Redeemable

When Buying
Monday, June 3rd.

Valley-Dallas Aerial Runs Start Monday

Head Of New Plane Freight Service Foresees National Development For Project

McALLEN—Regular air freight service between Dallas and the Lower Rio Grande Valley will begin Monday, Bob Trego, president of Texas Air Freights, Inc., announced in a communication received here Saturday.

A plane will leave Dallas at 12:30 a.m. Monday, arriving in McAllen at 7:30 or 8 a.m.

Trego declared that the flight would mark the first step "in the most important development in air transportation in the United States.

It is our belief that with the inauguration of air freight service between Dallas and the Valley cities we are beginning the first section of what will be a nation-wide air freight service."

"We believe, and will very shortly prove our contention, that many pounds of air freight will be leaving Dallas for the Valley every night and as much arriving in Dallas from the Valley every morning. As soon as this point is reached, Texas Air Freights will announce its first expansion plans and the purchase of new, larger and faster equipment."

Trego said the air freight planes will travel at night. When a shipment can originate at the close of a business day and be delivered in a distant city with the opening of business the next morning the service that transports it will be offering its greatest value, he said.

"I expect Texas Air Freights to be a proving ground that will show the need for the economic soundness of air freight. Shipments by air can effect tremendous savings for businesses which are losing valuable time when their shipments are in transit during business hours."

G. H. Borne Dies

Old Settler Passes After Sickness

EDINBURG—George H. Borne, 68, Edinburg farmer, died Saturday at 3 p.m. at his home two miles east of here, after a short illness.

Funeral services will probably be held Monday at 8:15 a.m., at Sacred Heart Catholic Church here, with Father Kennedy officiating. Burial will be at Hillcrest Memorial Park, Edinburg, under direction of Skinners.

Surviving are the wife, Mrs. Helen Borne; a daughter, Mrs. Frank Boss, Edinburg; and a son, Hilary Borne, Preston, Kan.

Borne moved to the Valley in 1920, and after farming near San Juan for nine years, moved here. He was a native of Germany.

The Weather

THE VALLEY: Fair Sunday and Monday. Slightly cooler Monday.

ARIZONA: Fair Sunday and Monday except increasing cloudiness north portion Sunday with scattered showers northwest portion late Sunday or early Monday. Slightly cooler Monday.

NEW MEXICO: Fair Sunday and Monday with high cloudiness increasing Monday and scattered showers northwest portion Monday. Slightly cooler northwest portion Monday.

WEST TEXAS: Fair with variable high cloudiness Sunday and Monday. Little change in temperature.

OKLAHOMA: Fair, warmer central and east portions Sunday; Monday fair central and west, scattered thundershowers extreme east, cooler west and north portions.

EAST TEXAS: Partly cloudy to cloudy Sunday; Monday cloudy, scattered showers, cooler in the interior. Fresh southerly winds on the coast.

Tabular Data are for the 24 hours preceding 6:30 a.m. yesterday.

STATION	Lowest last light	Highest last 24hours	Precipitation (inches
Abilene	70	95	.00
Albuquerque	54	86	.00
Amarillo	54	94	.00
Atlanta, Ga.	40	67	.00
Austin	64	91	.60
Boise, Idaho	46	69	.00
Boston, Mass.	45	71	.10
Brownsville	74	85	.00
Br'ville Airp't	74	87	.00
Chicago, Ill.	38	44	.00
Cincinnati, Ohio	35	45	.04
Cleveland, Ohio	38	41	.06
Corpus Christi	69	90	.01
Corpus Christi	69	90	.01
Dallas	62	92	.00
Del Rio	72	93	.00
Denver, Colo.	50	84	.00
Dodge City, Kan.	54	82	.00
El Paso	63	92	.00
Fort Smith, Ark.	56	83	.00
Helena, Mont.	34	65	.00
Houston	61	90	.00
Huron, S. Dak.	53	70	.00
Jacksonville, Fla.	53	75	.00
Kansas City, Mo.	50	68	.00
Los Angeles,	52	73	.00
Memphis, Tenn.	42	73	.00
Miami, Fla.	64	81	.00
Mpls. St. P. Minn	40	65	.00
Modena, Utah	44	75	.00
New Orleans, La.	65	81	.00
North Platte, Nebr	50	79	.00
Oklahoma City,	63	94	.00
Palestine	63	87	.00
Pensacola, Fla.	56	80	.00
Phoenix, Ariz.	58	100	.00
Port. Arthur	66	84	.00
Portland, Ore.	47	71	.34
Roswell, N. M.	59	93	.00
St. Louis, Mo.	37	60	.00
Salt Lake City,	50	75	.00
San Antonio	67	94	.00
San Francisco,	53	64	.20
Sheridan, Wyo.	39	75	.00
Shreveport, La.	60	89	.00
Tampa, Fla.	66	—	.00
Vicksburg, Miss.	55	81	.00
Washington, D. C.	45	53	.00
Williston, N. D.	43	78	.00
Wilmington, N. C.	48	65	.00
Winnemucca, Nev.	37	72	.00
• DEL MAR	74	78	

*Unofficial, Courtesy Chamber of Commerce.

Acrobats Spread On

ROCHESTER, Ind. —(AP)— Snow fell and the elephants shivered as Cole Brothers Circus gave its first 1940 show under canvas.

Acrobats met the situation by coating themselves with thick layers of grease—a la channel swimmer.

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HOTEL GROUP FROM MEXICO DUE TUESDAY

Valley Side Trip Is On Schedule

McALLEN—Valley hotel officials prepared Saturday to entertain the Northern Mexico Hotel Men's association Tuesday on a post-convention tour of the Valley and South Texas.

The group, about 30 in number, will be met at the International bridge at Hidalgo, by the Valley Hotel Men's Association and representatives of the Valley Secretaries Association.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Lomax, owners of the Casa de Palmas Hotel, will entertain the visitors at a luncheon Tuesday at their hotel. Leaving McAllen, the group will be taken on a tour of the Lower Valley. Tuesday night they will be guests of the Madison and Reese-Wil-Mond Hotels in Harlingen.

According to present plans, the Mexican hotel officials will leave the Valley Wednesday for San Antonio and will return to Monterrey Thursday via Laredo.

The tour will be an aftermath to the first annual association convention which opened Sunday in Monterrey. They will be accompanied here by Enrique Trevino Garcia, manager of the Monterrey chamber of commerce.

Wins In Stumble

Damages Are Given To Sebastian Man

BROWNSVILLE—For injuries allegedly received when he stumbled over a case of empty beer bottles, a civil district court jury here recently found Frank Childress, 51-year-old Sebastian barber, entitled to $2,500 damages.

Childress sued the Magnolia Beer Company, and others, for damages. He suffered injuries to his left ankle, lower leg and knees, he alleged, when he stumbled over a case of empty beer bottles, November 11, 1939, at Frank's Cafe in Sebastian.

The bottle case, according to the plaintiff's allegations, was on the floor just within the door of the cafe.

Netherlands Prepare For 'Trojan Horse' By Arresting 21

THE HAGUE —(AP)— Premier Derek Jan E. Geer told the nation in a broadcast Saturday that 21 persons "who endangered the security" of The Netherlands were arrested and interned during the night.

One of those placed under arrest was M. M. Rost Van Tonningen, a Nazi member of parliament and editor of the National-Socialist newspaper Nationale Dagblad.

Coast Guard Cutter Visits Port Isabel

PORT ISABEL—The Coast Guard cutter Woodbury, out of Galveston, docked here Saturday morning with an inspector for a tour of the Brazos Island station.

The Woodbury, formerly stationed at Corpus Christi, is expected to leave Sunday morning. On patrol work north to Baltimore, Md., the cutter has traveled 19,000 miles since January.

Flemish Nationals Arrested For Plot

BRUSSELS —(AP)— Two Flemish Nationalists were arrested Saturday at Hasselt under a new government decree against persons propagating "indiscipline or demoralization" in the army. A military spokesman said it was designed to prevent subversive activity in the army.

Cameron Court Sets Meeting For May 8

BROWNSVILLE—Cameron county commissioners will meet Wednesday morning in the county courtroom of the courthouse here, County Judge Oscar C. Dancy said Saturday.

The ancient city of Queretaro, one of the favorite residences of Maximilian and Carolita, soon will be connected with Mexico City by paved highway. Queretaro, renowned for strawberries and opals, also is famous as the center of a great "charro," or Mexican skilled horseman club.

February shipments of crude and refined petroleum products from the Texaco and Gulf refineries at Port Arthur totaled 8,425,388 barrels, the smallest for any month in more than a year. Only 36 ships from foreign ports called during the month compared with the usual 60 or more.

THREE CITIES NEARING END OF COUNTING

Census Completed In Some Areas

HARLINGEN — The population census was reported "98 per cent complete" in San Benito, Weslaco and Mission this week and it is understood that the chambers of commerce in those cities are prepared to go forward with check-up plans.

Valley cities have been advised that they will be informed when the census reaches the "approximately completed" stage so that local committees or other organizations may proceed with a check-up to determine which citizens may have been overlooked.

Districts Completed

It is understood that seven districts have been completed in Harlingen and that work is still going on in other districts.

William C. Anderson, chairman of the chamber of commerce census committee, reported Thursday that school children from the Mexiquito district had turned in 500 names of uncounted persons but census officials indicated that a late start had been made there because of the difficulty in obtaining a qualified enumerator for that area. Anderson said that another appeal might be made through the school for uncounted persons after the census work progressed a bit further.

Francis W. Pulliam of Laredo, district supervisor, was in the Valley this week and again assured Valley chamber of commerce secretaries that the books would not be closed until everyone had been counted. Pulliam visited chamber of commerce executives from Mission to Brownsville. He met with Cameron county enumerators in Harlingen and all except two out of 62 were present.

Largest in America

This is reported the largest census district in the United States as to area and twice as large as any other district according to population.

E. D. Salinas of Laredo, president general of the League of United Latin-American Citizens, has issued an appeal to all Latin-Americans to co-operate in every way and answer all census questions.

PRECINCTS HOLD VALLEY MEETS

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what the army is building up to in the Sabine River bottoms of East Texas.

The precinct conventions Saturday were initial warm-up maneuvers. Tuesday maneuvers become more intense, as county conventions are held, by both the Democratic and the Republican parties in Texas.

Up to the state convention, then to the national convention — then Democrats and Republicans meet in "war games" on a national political front.

Another similarity that perhaps shouldn't be carried too far—the troops engaged in East Texas maneuvers probably have little idea of what comes next, while a few commanding officers have all details neatly worked out — conceivably could prove true in the political "war" that will culminate present maneuvers.

Cameron county's Democratic delegates, sent up from Saturday's precinct sessions, will gather Tuesday in the district courtroom of the Cameron county courthouse in Brownsville, at 2 p.m.

Cameron Republicans will hold their county convention Tuesday at the Brownsville Chamber of Commerce, at 2:30 p.m., with a meeting of the executive committee just preceding.

REPUBLICANS TURN OUT HEAVIER FOR MEETS

HARLINGEN — Republicans apparently took more interest in their precinct conventions in the four Harlingen precincts than Democrats evidenced in their respective meetings Saturday, though no one convention of either party drew a crowd.

Republicans mustered some 50 delegates for the four Harlingen meetings, 20 of them attending the precinct 31 convention. Six to eight attended each of the four Democratic sessions. Precinct 30, of the Democrats, which instructed its delegation to support Garner for president, and endorsed the administration, named Lloyd Stiernberg, Monty Colvin, M. V. Caul and J. A. Seagrove, delegates, with O. P. Storm as alternate.

Precincts 31 and 32 of Democrats passed no resolutions, leaving their delegates untinstructed. The former group named Polk Hornaday, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown and Mrs. J. J. Murray as delegates, with Chairman Lloyd Thompson authorized to appoint needed alternates; while precinct 32 listed Chas. H. Brown, A. W. Cunningham, R. B. Hamilton, E. C. Bennet, A. A. Klein, C. C. Bryant, H. C. Ware, John C. Myrick, I. G. Nichols and E. W. Anglin as delegates.

GARNER ENDORSED FOR PRESIDENT BY McALLEN

McALLEN — Resolutions endorsing Vice President John Nance Garner of Texas for the presidency were passed by Democrats of McAllen meeting in precinct conventions here Saturday to select delegates to the county convention. Republicans held similar meetings.

Ten delegates to the Democratic county convention to be held at Edinburg Tuesday were named in both McAllen precincts.

Those chosen from the North McAllen box were Homer Leonard, Ramon Guerra, P. H. Graning, Jodie Polk, Harry Starr, W. J. Burris, C. J. Fitz, Mrs. John I. Gwinn, T. J. Powell and Cecil Fulton. Scott Dankers was named secretary.

Delegates from the South McAllen box will be W. C. Tisdale, Mrs. D. P. Germane (also secretary), I. D. Herrera, J. D. McGill, B. L. Guerra, Horace Etchison, H. W. Rowe, Fred N. Gantner, Mrs. E. D. Mathis and Fidencio Guerra.

Republicans of North McAllen selected John Lomax, A. G. Fletcher, Chrest Thompson and Robert N. Clarke.

From the South McAllen box, H. H. Fletcher, Ed Smith, W. L. Hart and C. A. Marshall were named.

The Republican county convention also will be held at Edinburg Tuesday.

GERMANY'S BOMBERS ARE GOOD BUT

Nazis Far Behind U. S. Bombers In Accuracy

Bombsights Of U. S. Planes Best In World

WASHINGTON —(AP)—The bombers of Europe's warring nations, photographic evidence indicated Saturday, have failed by a wide margin to approach the accuracy of the United States army air corps.

Pictures Delayed

Major General H. H. Arnold, air corps chief, exhibited comparative pictures at a closed session of a senate appropriations subcommittee whose members said they appeared to show a definite edge in marksmanship for American pilots.

The photographic evidence, committee members asserted, gave the army a much higher accuracy rating in "precision" bombing—or aimed hits—than European aviators have attained by "pattern" bombing—or sowing bombs over the immediate area of a target on the theory that one may hit the objective.

The apparent American margin of superiority was generally credited to the country's closely-guarded secret bomb sight.

Planes Also Faster

General Arnold, it was reported, also told the committee that American military planes had proved speedier under actual combat conditions, where more maneuverable, safer and more economical of fuel. With the improvements the war has suggested, he expects them to be the best in the world, it was declared.

The senate committee, however, was reported to have prodded the army to seek full restoration of the $20,000,000 for aircraft which the house cut from the $785,000,000 war department bill when it approved that measure.

Chairman Thomas (D-Okla.) said plans for construction of 27 new bombing planes costing about $10,000,000 probably would be laid before the committee Monday as a result of members' inquiries as to why the army had not sought the full amount of appropriations recommended by President Roosevelt in his budg last Janu y.





American airplanes are better than these pictured above, officials were told Saturday. Top is the German Dornier Do. 17 bomber which has a maximum speed of about 310 m. p. h. and a range of 1,500 miles. It has a span of 59 feet, length of 52 feet 2 inches. Below is the Reich's seaplane fighter, about which few details are available. It is a Heinkel type He. 114, a reconnaisance craft for catupult operation from surface ships.

OBITUARY

MRS. H. H. PECK

McALLEN—Funeral services for Mrs. H. H. Peck, 56, who died at her home Friday night, were held at 4 p. m. Saturday.

Mrs. Peck, a native of Indiana, came to the Valley six years ago to make her home. Services were held at the Martin-Nelson chapel with Rev. F. H. Hamner, pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiating.

She is survived by her husband; five sons, Edward and William of Waukegan, Ill.; Alfred, Calvin and Richard, all of McAllen; nine daughters, Mesdames Ruth Sterberz, Lulu McMullin and Alice Cowels, all of Zion, Ill.; Edna Cerell of Sheboygan, Wis.; Emma Pearl Owens, Kingmore, Ariz.; Myra Snider, Niles Center, Ill.; Laura Ison, Waukegan, Ill.; Naomi Dorsey, Los Angeles, Calif.; and Bertha Howell, McAllen.

Active pallbearers were W. P. Davis, N. Ness, J. C. Robinson, J. F. Parker, J. F. Robinson.

A. W. McMICHAEL

McALLEN—Last rites for A. W. McMichael, 76, who died at City Hospital Saturday morning, will be held at Martin-Nelson chapel at 3 p.m. Sunday with Rev. Archie Reed, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church at Weslaco, officiating.

Mr. McMichael, who came to the Valley in 1935, was a retired veteran of the Standard Oil company, for which he had worked for 30 years. He was a native of Nova Scotia and a member of the St. Anthony chapter of the Odd Fellows Lodge at Minneapolis, Minn.

Surviving are two brothers, A. J. of McAllen, and Samuel G. of Nova Scotia.

Interment will be in Rose Lawn Cemetery.

Active pallbearers will be Frank Linser, Fred Hendry, J. W. Sloan, G. J. Lichtner, John Leonard and Wancy Earthlow.

HENRY H. HOLLAND

Holland, Henry H., 24, Harlingen, died at San Angelo, Tex., May 2. Funeral services will be held Sunday at 3 p.m. at the John T. Thompson Chapel, Harlingen, with Rev. Steve D. Williams, Kingsville, officiating. Burial will be at Combes Cemetery, under direction of John T. Thompson, Harlingen. Pallbearers will be A. C. Sparks, A. J. Daniels, Roy Wyrick, Erwin Bradford, C. V. Wade, an Mr. Spencer. Surviving are his mother, Mrs. A. T. Holland, Harlingen; five sisters, Mrs. Ruby Reeves, Belcherville, Tex., Mrs. Willie Huddle, Mrs. Cleo Pentecost, Harlingen; Mrs. Grace Keck, Nocona, Tex.; Mrs. Opal Miller, Kokomo, Ind., and two brothers, Andrew and Foster Holland, Harlingen.

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World Not Ready For Peace, Believes Map Artist Who Says Wouldn't Stop War Even If He Could; He's Not Afraid

WASHINGTON —(AP)— A geographer who helped draw the European boundary lines which Hitler's legions have been erasing declared Friday night that, even if he had the power, he would not halt the war Saturday.

"I am not so much afraid of war, even in its present unfortunate status, as I am afraid of peace." Dr. Isaiah Bowman, president of the Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore, told the American Council on Education.

"We aren't ready for peace," said Dr. Bowman, who was chief territorial specialist for the 1918 United States peace commission. "We haven't thought out our approach to it. We haven't decided what we want."

MUSIC WEEK IS OBSERVED

San Benito Planning Full Program

SAN BENITO — Final arrangements are complete for San Benito's gala Music Week celebration being sponsored by the San Benito Music Club.

The first program will be held in the city park with "community singing" at 4 o'clock. The program will be directed by W. E. Hatchett with songs rendered by the combined choirs of all churches of the city. Numbers will be accompanied on the Hammond Electric Organ by Robt. K. Reed.

Week day programs will be held in First Methodist Church. Monday night's program will be in charge of the Music Clubs directed by Mrs. H. V. Gordon, who will give a program of American Indian music by Thurlow Lieurance, after which the club will be hostess to all guests in an "open house" party in the parlor of the Church.

Tuesday's program will be in charge of the San Benito men's double quartet directed by Mrs. J. D. Ward. The club will render a group of familiar and classical songs accompanied by Mrs. F. W. Colmery. Mrs. Ward will render two groups of favorite solos.

Wednesday's program will be supplied by the San Benito high school band, directed by J. C. Hall. Program is scheduled to start at 8:30 p.m., an hour later than all other programs.

Thursday's program is expected to draw one of the largest crowds during the observance. The high school chorus under the direction of Mr. Hatchett, will present an interesting program. Those who will take part are the A Cappella Choir, Girls Glee Club, Boys chorus, junior high mixed chorus, solo by Tol Boswell, senior high mixed chorus.

Midland Well Report Service Leader Dies

MIDLAND—(AP)—William Preston Dickson, 41, partner in an oil well report service, died here Saturday. He formerly was employed by the railroad commission. The body was sent to Waco for funeral services Sunday.

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Hotel Group Due

Monterrey Tourists Expected Tuesday

HARLINGEN—Hotel owners and managers of Northern Mexico and their wives will visit the Valley Tuesday, according to Jose F. Muguerza, president of Hotel Colonial in Monterrey and president of the Hotel Association of Northern Mexico. The visit will be a post-convention trip of association members meeting in Monterrey.

The group, expected to number about 30, will drive in automobiles from Monterrey to Reynosa, and be met at Hidalgo by members of the Rio Grande Valley Hotel Association and Valley chamber of commerce representatives. They will be entertained at Casa de Palmas Hotel in McAllen, and spend the night in Harlingen after a motor trip over the Valley.

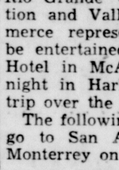
The following day, the group will go to San Antonio, returning to Monterrey on Thursday.

Housing For Insane Is Urged By Judge

HOUSTON— (AP) —County Judge Roy Hofheinz urged that the attention of Texas legislators be called to the inadequate housing facilities of state insane and feeble minded institutions in a speech here Saturday at the convention of the Texas Humane Federation.

The situation is so bad in some West Texas counties, the insane are chained in barns because there is no place in state hospitals for them, he said.

"I urge that you speak to your governor and to your legislature about these forgotten persons," he said.

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Historical Society Gets Battle Report

DALLAS—(AP)—The only known manuscript of General Sam Houston's report on the battle of San Jacinto will be given to the Dallas Historical Society by the Dallas Morning News Sunday.

The document, discovered four years ago in the archives of the News, is one of the rarest and most valuable that four centuries of Texas history have produced.

West Texas Oil Show To Be Held In June

ODESSA—(AP)—The steering committee of the Permian Basin Association announced Saturday the first West Texas oil show would be held here June 21-22 during the organization's convention.

M. L. Atkison, superintendent of Phillips Petroleum Co., was named chairman.

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'CINCO' FETE OBSERVED BY BORDER FOLK

Big Program Marks Mexican Holiday

BROWNSVILLE—Ball games, including one between a Brownsville and Harlingen team, parades, speeches, carnivals, a horse-show, a kermesse, gymnastic exercises, and patriotic ceremonies, will mark the annual observance of Cinco de Mayo in Brownsville and Matamoros on Sunday.

Mexican communities of San Benito and Harlingen will join the festivities in Brownsville, which will be climaxed by ceremonies beginning at 8 p. m. at the grounds of the Port Isabel railway station, Twelfth and Van Buren.

Cinco de Mayo is one of the most important of Mexican patriotic holidays, commemorating the battle on May 5, 1862, at Puebla, when Mexican troops, under leadership of General Ignacio Zaragoza, defeated the French invaders who sought to maintain imperial domain in Mexico.

Mexican Consul Carlos A. Calderon of Brownsville will hurl the first ball opening the baseball game between the Brownsville Merchants and the Harlingen Eagles, semi-professional teams directed by former big-leaguers.

Matamoros' observance will start with a military and civil parade at 9 a. m., followed by school team volleyball games and gymnastic exhibitions, a horse-show featuring obstacle jumps and trick riding by Mexican army cavalrymen, and ceremonies at 4:30 p. m. on the main plaza featuring patriotic speeches, declamations, and songs.

Cinco de Mayo is a major national holiday in Mexico, and is observed throughout the world by Mexican patriotic and fraternal organizations.

Drys Launch New National Drive; To Hold Parley

CHICAGO—(AP)—The prohibition national committee announced Saturday it was rallying its largest convention in 25 years to adopt a platform and nominate candidates for the presidential campaign.

Delegates from more than 30 states will open the session here next Wednesday. Early arrivals expressed a conviction that changing public sentiment would give the party a substantially stronger endorsement than the 37,847 votes received in 1936.

Six Are Fined In Justice Courts

EDINBURG—Six persons were assessed fines in justice courts of Hidalgo county the past week in which Assistant District Attorney Hollis Rankin prosecuted for the state.

B. Rendon was fined $25 and costs for disturbing the peace by Justice T. Holl Spilman at Mission Wednesday. On the same day, Pedro Natal was fined $1 and costs for using abusive language. He was tried before Justice Bob Savage of San Juan. At Mercedes Friday, Pedro Rodriguez and Santos Sandoval were fined $25 and costs each by Justice T. J. Fikes, Sr., on charges of assault and battery. Esteban Cantu was fined $1 and costs for using abusive language and Bill Boetteger $5 and costs for assault and battery in cases tried Friday before Justice R. E. Erwin of Weslaco.

Soldiers Bail Out In Plane Accident

GEORGETOWN, Miss. — (AP) — Fourteen enlisted men from the army air base at Selfridge Field, Mich., bailed out of a huge transport plane carrying them southward to the third army maneuvers Saturday when the ship's undercarriage was knocked off in an attempted landing.

The men with the pilot and copilot had attempted a landing at the airport in McComb, Miss., but the ship overshot the field and wrecked the gear against an embankment. It was brought safely to a pancake landing after the soldiers had taken to their parachutes over Georgetown.

Dupont Plant Scene Of New Explosion

PENNS GROVE, N. J.—(AP)—Two tons of rifle powder exploded at 3:45 a. m. (CST) Saturday in a building of the E. I. DuPont De Nemours Company at nearby Carney's point.

The blast shook this south Jersey area for miles but caused no serious injuries or property damage. Two workmen in another building 150 feet distant suffered from shock and were treated at a hospital. They are J. L. Roberts and H. L. Curtis, both of Penns Grove.

Pampa Grain Dealer To Run For Congress

AMARILLO—(AP)—Lee McConnell, Pampa grain dealer and oil operator, announced Saturday as a candidate for congress in the 18th Texas district to succeed Marvin Jones, who recently was appointed to the U. S. court of claims. McConnell was the ninth candidate to announce.

Spain Woos U. S.

MADRID — (AP) — The European war has caused Spain to look westward instead of northward for commerce, and as a result improved relations with the United States are believed here to be in prospect.

Fewer birds than usual wintered this year in the Lower Rio Grande Valley. Drought and cold weather are believed to have driven the birds farther south.

THE SUNDAY RADIO LOG

WLW (Cincinnati) MBS dial 1260 — WOAI (San Antonio) NBC dial 1190
KRGV (Weslaco) NBC dial 1260 — KWKH (Shreveport) CBS dial 1100
KPRC (Houston) NBC dial 920 — KTSA (San Antonio) CBS dial 550

7:00 a. m.
KRGV—Coast to Coast on Bus
KWKH—Morning Varieties
WLW—Children's Hour
7:30 a. m.
KRGV—Coast to Coast on Bus
KPRC—Skypilot
KTSA—Wings Over Jordan
WOAI—Sunday Drivers
KWKH—Wings Over Jordan
WLW—Children's Hour
8:00 a. m.
KRGV—Valley Radio Chapel
KPRC—Bright and Early Choir
KTSA—Church of The Air
WOAI—Bright and Early
KWKH—C. L. Embree, talk
WLW—Church Forum
8:30 a. m.
KRGV—Southernaires
KPRC—Robert Stewart
KTSA—Christian Science
WOAI—Bill Johnson—baritone
KWKH—March of Games
WLW—Robt. Stewart orch
9:00 a. m.
KRGV—Chuck Wagon Gang
KPRC—Pleasantdale Folks
KTSA—Chuck Wagon Gang
WOAI—Strings That Sing
KWKH—Sunday Players
WLW—News Review
9:30 a. m.
KRGV—Real Estate Hour
KPRC—T. J Bettes Company
KTSA—Major Bowes
WOAI—Music and Youth
KWKH—Major Bowes
WLW—Happy Jim Parsons
10:00 a. m.
KRGV—Latin American Hour
KTSA—Major Bowes
WOAI—News
KWKH—Major Bowes
WLW—Radio City Music Hall
10:30 a. m.
KRGV—Latin American Hour
KTSA—Salt Lake City Choir
WOAI—On Your Job
KWKH—Salt Lake City Tabernacle Choir
WLW—Radio City Music Hall
11:00 a. m.
KRGV—Pilgrimage of Poetry
KTSA—Church of the Air
WOAI—First Presbyterian Church
KWKH—Morning Services
WLW—Cadle Tabernacle Choir
11:30 a. m.
KRGV—Al and Lee Resler orch.
KTSA—Travis Park Services
WOAI—First Presbyterian Church
KWKH—Morning Services
WLW—From Hollywood
12:00 noon
KRGV—Winterset
KTSA—Salute to Americas
WOAI—Salute to Americas
KWKH—Salute to Americas
WLW—Your Easy Chair
12:30 p. m.
KRGV—Winterset
KPRC—Song Service
KTSA—Barron Elliott orch
WOAI—University Chicago Round Table
KWKH—Barron Elliott orch
WLW—Peters—Organ
1:00 p. m.
KRGV—News and Weather
KPRC—Fogle-West Ensemble
KTSA—N. Y. Philharmonic Symphony
WOAI—I Want A Divorce
KWKH—N. Y. Philharmonic Symphony
WLW—Your Easy Chair
1:30 p. m.
KRGV—Dance Music
KPRC—Christian Science
KTSA—N. Y. Philharmonic Symphony
WOAI—European News
KWKH—N. Y. Philharmonic Symphony
WLW—Ohio U. Glee Club
2:00 p.m.
KRGV—National Vespers
KPRC—Sunday Players
KTSA—N. Y. Philharmonic Symphony
WOAI—Glen Gray orch
KWKH—N. Y. Philharmonic Symphony
WLW—Unsolved Mysteries
2:30 p. m.
KRGV—Chamber Music Society
KPRC—The World Is Yours
KTSA—Pursuit of Happiness
WOAI—The World Is Yours
KWKH—Houston vs Shreveport
WLW—Aldrich Family
3:00 p. m.
KRGV—Christian Science
KPRC—Yvette
KWKH—Houston vs. Shreveport
WOAI—Old Fashioned Revival
KWKH—Choose Up Sides
WLW—Musical Steelmakers
3:30 p. m.
KRGV—Voice of Hawaii
KPRC—From Hollywood
KTSA—Sweet Rhythm
WOAI—Old Fashioned Revival
KWKH—Houston vs Shreveport
WLW—World Is Yours
4:00 p. m.
KRGV—Gordon Gray orch
KPRC—Catholic Hour
KTSA—Silver Theatre
WOAI—Catholic Hour
KWKH—Houston vs. Shreveport
WLW—Church By Road
4:30 p. m.
KRGV—Cavalcade of Hits
KPRC—Melody Memory Moments
KTSA—Gene Autrey
WOAI—Band Festival
KWKH—Gene Autry
WLW—Ted Weems orch
5:00 p. m.
KRGV—Birthday Party
KPRC—Jack Benny
KTSA—News of World
WOAI—Jack Benny
KWKH—News of World
WLW—Jack Benny
5:30 p. m.
KRGV—Serenaders
KPRC—Bandwagon
KTSA—Ellery Queen
WOAI—Band Wagon
KWKH—Ellery Queen
WLW—Professor Quiz
6:00 p. m.
KRGV—Musical Comedy Revue
KPRC—Charlie McCarthy
KTSA—So You Know Music?
WOAI—Charley McCarthy
KWKH—Concert in Rhythm
WLW—Charley McCarthy
6:30 p. m.
KRGV—NBC Program
KPRC—Home Town
KTSA—Columbia Presents
WOAI—Richard Himber orch
KWKH—Richard Himber orch
WLW—Amazing America
9:00 p. m.
KRGV—AP News
KPRC—AP News
KTSA—Little Concert
WOAI—Teddy Powell orch
KWKH—Headlines
WLW—NBC Program
9:30 p. m.
KRGV—Jack Benny
KPRC—Francis Craig orch
KTSA—Louis Armstrong orch
WOAI—NBC Program
KWKH—Louis Armstrong orch
WLW—Gardner Benedict orch
10:00 p. m.
KRGV—News, Sports
KPRC—Ben Pollock orch
KTSA—News by Air
WOAI—News
KWKH—Ray Noble orch
WLW—Peter Grant, News
10:30 p. m.
KRGV—Charles Spivak orch
KPRC—Charlie Spivak orch
KTSA—Orrin Tucker orch
WOAI—Charley Spivak orch
KWKH—Orrin Tucker orch
WLW—NBC Program
11:00 p. m.
KRGV—Sign off
KPRC—Clyde McCoy orch
KTSA—Pliner & Earl orch
WOAI—NBC Program
KWKH—Jack Coffee orch
WLW—Castle Farm orch
11:30 p. m.
KPRC—Radio Chapel
KTSA—Ina Ray Hutton orch
WOAI—NBC Program
KWKH—Let's Dance
WLW—Moon River

Ex-Valleyites View Nazi Seizure Of Oslo

BROWNSVILLE—Mrs. Ole O. Hagen, wife of Lieutenant Commander Hagen, who is United States naval attache for all the Scandinavian countries, was to sail for the United States Saturday from Genoa, Italy, according to word received in Brownsville.

Mrs. John Kroeger, daughter of Lieut. Commander and Mrs. Hagen, is a Brownsville resident. Her parents were for a time also. Lieut. Commander Hagen formerly was navigation instructor for Pan American Airways here.

From the information received Friday and Saturday by cable and air mail, it was deemed likely that wives and children of all United States representatives in the embattled countries are to be returned to the United States.

Lieut. Commander and Mrs. Hagen, the letter from Italy related, arrived in Oslo the day the German occupation of the city began, and from their train witnessed the bombing of the airport there.

They stayed in Oslo at the United States legation home of Mrs. J. Borden Harriman, U. S. minister to Oslo.

Lieut. Commander Hagen was in charge of conducting a group of wives and children of United States representatives from Oslo to Stockholm, on a three-day trip handicapped by heavy ice and snow.

Lieut. Commander Hagen it was thought probable Saturday, still is in Stockholm, although Mrs. Hagen had arrived at Genoa and was to sail from there for Manhattan Saturday.

Law On Taxis

Reynosa Driver Fined In McAllen Court

McALLEN—Manuel T. Jerina Lopez, Reynosa, Mex., taxi owner, paid a fine of $25 and costs ($34) to Justice of the Peace T. J. Powell Saturday after pleading guilty to violating a state motor carriers law. Charges of operating a taxi between two or more incorporated towns without a motor bus license were filed against Lopez by State Highway Patrolman C. D. Mussey.

Patrolman Mussey said Lopez had carried passengers from one city to another in violation of the law which states that taxi owners may carry passengers between two points provided they do not pass through the incorporated limits of any city or village. Mussey said he has warned both Anglo-American and Latin-American taxi owners, that they must observe this law or be subject to penalties.

Mussey pointed out that several taxi operators have carried passengers from McAllen as far as Falfurrias without equipping themselves with a motor bus license giving them permission to do so.

General Motors Official Visits

McALLEN—Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Secord of Detroit, Mich., arrived here today to spend a few weeks in the Valley while he recovers from an illness which confined him to Mayo clinic at Rochester, Minn., for several weeks. Mr. Secord is an official of General Motors Corporation.

Galveston Gets Meet Of Library Groups

FORT WORTH—(AP)—The Texas Library Association in 1941 will convene in Galveston for the first time in 25 years. Selection of the meeting place was announced here Saturday at the conclusions of the association's 29th annual meeting.

Storm Hits China City

CHUNGKING—(AP)—Several hundred houses in the city's crowded downtown district collapsed Saturday morning at the height of a storm. There was no immediate report on casualties.

Olin Culberson In Opening Address; Seeks Rail Post

HILLSBORO, Tex.—(AP)—Olin Culberson, candidate for the Texas Railroad Commission, "came home" to Hillsboro Saturday to open his campaign and the town declared "Culberson Day."

The former Hill county judge spoke on the courthouse lawn, leveling his guns against "pension baiters" and those who "capitalize on public safety sentiment" to gain votes.

Farmers Take Plane For Inspection Tour

DALLAS—(AP)—Things down on the farm are not like they used to be.

Ten farmers, none of whom have flown before, will take an airplane Sunday to inspect eroded county lands.

The annual trip once was made by horse and buggy, then came the automobile.

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FORD BOOSTS MEN OVER 40

Says They're Capable And 'At Best'

DETROIT —(AP)— Henry Ford doubts that there are "enough brains under 50 (years of age) to supply the management needed in industry."

He said so Saturday in a statement endorsing President Roosevelt's National Employment Week proclamation, particularly the appeal for jobs for men more than 40 years of age. The proclamation fixed the first week in May as "National Employment Week."

"My own opinion is that men do not come to full usefulness until they are 40," said Ford who will be 77 next July 30 and has no intention of "retiring."

Citizens To Aid In Army's Maneuvers By Spotting Enemy

SHREVEPORT, La.—(AP)—Success of Uncle Sam's defending forces in next week's war games will depend to a large extent on the cooperation of some 9,000 civilian observers who will help spot "enemy" planes.

These civilians, in Mississippi, Alabama, Louisiana, Arkansas and Florida, have arranged to relay observations to army men who will assemble it at a central headquarters where defense plans will be mapped for the regional third army's huge make-believe struggle.

Anti-Sabotage Work In Rumania Pressed

BUCHAREST—(AP)—Rumania Saturday tightened anti-sabotage measures on the Danube River by forbidding all craft from passing at night under the big Cernavoda bridge.

The bridge is the main military route to southern Dobruja Province, which Bulgaria claims.

WPA Library Aid Lauded By Texas

FORT WORTH— (AP) —Texas librarians were told in convention here Saturday that some 2,000 persons employed under the statewide works project administration library program are furnishing "invaluable aid" in advancing the cause of widespread education in Texas.

21 French Killed When Fast Train Crashes Bridge

PARIS—(AP)—Twenty-one persons were killed and 25 others injured Saturday when a local train crashed through a flood-weakened bridge near Vallon in Allier department.

The bridge gave way when the fourth coach of the train was crossing.

French To Release Two Army Classes

PARIS—(AP)—The war ministry announced Saturday that the French classes of 1912 and 1913 will be released from military service under an order effective May 11.

The men are 47 and 48 years old.

Iron Cross Awarded Nazi Air Force Men

BERLIN—(AP)—Adolf Hitler Saturday awarded the Knight's Cross of the Iron Cross to Colonel-General Erhardt Milch, Lieutenant-General Hans Geisler and Major Harlinghausen, for distinguished service in German air operations in Norway.

Valley Pupil Feted

HARLINGEN — Miss Charlene Amidon, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Charles S. Amidon, Harlingen, will be guest at the morning coffee given by the Hockaday junior college advisers at Dallas Saturday, May 11. Miss Amidon is a freshman at the junior college. The breakfast is given in honor of student advisers.

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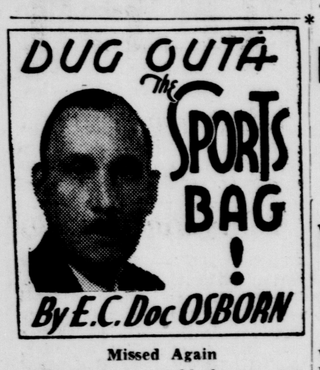
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GALLAHADION WINS KENTUCKY DERBY

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Missed Again

The best we could do was run second.

Of course we are talking about the Kentucky Derby which was won by Gallahadion Saturday.

We were in the saddle on Bimelech, the prohibitive favorite, and perhaps that was the reason the great Bradley colt did not win—carrying too big a load.

And we came darn near not running second. It took a photo to tell us that we did that well for Dit was right there and lost the place apparently by a tongue.

Oh, well, there will be another Derby next year and we will have the winner for here and now we resolve to never again pick the favorite.

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The Same Luck

We were sold on the idea that mackerel fishing would be good Saturday in the gulf so we tried it.

With the net result of nary a fish.

One of these days we are going to have some good fishing weather down this way and some fish will be caught. Of course they will be caught the day before we go but someone will do the job.

Unless there is a decided change in the weather and water conditions, salt water fishing today will not be good. Of course it only takes a few hours for the water to clear up and smooth down.

Joe Taylor hit the nail on the head about fishing. The day before the bass season opened, he came up with this, "I am going fishing tomorrow for I know that some guy can't come along and tell me he caught bass yesterday."

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About Mel Ott

Bill Brandt of the National League Service Bureau, tells the following interesting story on one of baseball's greatest outfielders:

He was just 16 his first year in the National League. Today his name appears 16 times in Baseball's book of all-time records. At 31, Melvin Thomas Ott has his name inscribed across the annals of the diamond for years and years to come.

His deeds in the Little Red Book of big baseball records are chiefly in the realm of swat, hitting homers and driving runs across the plates. But he also holds the all-time record of making double plays from his outfield position and the newest lifetime record added to his growing list is in the gentle art of extracting bases on balls from unwilling pitchers, facing this sturdy siege-gun of the New York Giants.

When Max Carey, the all-time greatest National League base-stealer, hung up his spiked shoes for good in 1929, he had set a new record of 1040 bases on balls, tops for more than 50 years of National League history. For 10 years the Carey record stood firm in the Red Book but this year it's out. Ott had 1035 when last season opened. His 5th base on balls of 1939 tied Carey's total as a Pittsburgh Pirate star.

By the season's close Ott had chalked up his 100th walk and the National League's all-time record for bases on balls received by one player in one lifetime stood at 1135. From now on, every time Ott receives a base on balls in an official National League game, a new record is registered by the Hall of Fame counting machine.

"Master Melvin" the writers called him in 1925 when he sat on the Giants bench all season without playing a single inning of National League baseball, a dark-eyed, curly-haired, quiet schoolboy from the Louisiana bank of Mississippi. He's ben an active Giant player for 14 years. Carey's record covered 19 years. By the time Ott's 19th season is complete, he will have extended the base on balls record way out in front of where it was when he took it over for his personal property.

Facility at drawing passes in Ott's case means not only the eagle eye but also prowess as a slugger. Pitchers are chary about serving the spheroid where he can reach it. When the sturdy Louisianan has that home run glint in his eye at a tight moment in a ball game, a lot of twirlers in the past 14 years have suddenly decided that the right way to pitch to Ott is a base on balls, the classic "weakness" of Honus Wagner.

Every time Ott hits a homer a new National League record is made, too, for his 369 at the close of last year stood as the most homers anybody ever hit in a National League lifetime. No other National Leaguer ever hit 30 or more homers in as many as 7 years.

This year and next Master Melvin will be shooting for the lifetime run-driving record. He was the RBI league-leader with 1,386 at the season's start. The lifetime record is Hornsby's 1,582. All it takes is 100 RBI for Ott this year and next to pass the great "Rodge."

Mel's name is already in the Book for batting in 100 or more runs for 8 successive years and for 9 years all told, neither of which feats was equalled by Hornsby or any other rival. Right nimble in circulating via the hassocks himself, Ott was league run-scoring champ in 1938 and in the Book he is in an all-time tie with Clarence (Ginger) eBuamont, of the old Pirates. Ginger in 1899 and Ott in 1934 scored 6 runs in one game, a feat achieved by no other player in either major league at any time since baseball began.

Besides his all-time lifetime record, Mel has 4 other sitations in the Book's free - ticket department: drawing 5 passes in one game; drawing 100 or more passes in 7 different years; leading his league in walks 5 years and 3 years in succession; and getting hit by pitched balls 3 times in one game.

As proof of the all-round greatness achieved by John McGraw's chubby schoolboy bench-warmer of 1925, Mel is also in the all-time record book on the defensive side. Back in 1929 he figured in a dozen double plays, and never since the National League started back in '76 has any other parent circuit outfielder totalled that many in one season.

Bimelech Is Pushed Hard For Second

Winner Pays Off In Big Figures

By SID FEDER

CHURCHILL DOWNS, LOUISVILLE, Ky.—(AP)—Bimelech and the last long quarter mile broke the Bluegrass Saturday, as Gallahadion, a "bargain counter horse" from the yearling sales, out-gamed seven other gallopers to win the 66th running of the Kentucky Derby.

Second-longest priced winner in the 65 year history of this mile and a quarter classic, Gallahadion not only ran with Bimmie, but actually made him "Holler Uncle" in a roaring stretch drive to come home a length and a half in front.

A shriek of astonishment choked in the throats of the spectators at the failure of "Big Bim," most popular favorite in 35 years.

Col. Matt J. Winn, president of Churchill Downs, estimated the crowd at 95,000, which he said was the largest ever to see a horse race in the United States.

"Paid In Full"

By taking the top portion of the Derby stake, Gallahadion marked "paid in full," the score Mrs. Ethel V. Mars of Chicago, his owner, has held since she bought him for $5,000 at Saratoga two years ago, among a number of youngsters whom she bid in for a total of more than $100,000. None of the other purchases had paid any kind of dividend to compare with this—$60,150 as the winner's share of the richest Derby in history plus the glory that goes with the victor's necklace of roses.

Bimelech was second, but he might as well have been 22nd. He was a beaten horse in the last quarter mile, for this son of Sir Gallahad III did what none had ever done before—run with Bimmie to the wire. And in the defeat lay not only the end of Bimmie's all-triumphant run of eight straight races, but the ashes of 80-year old Col. Edward R. Bradley's dream of breaking his own record with a fifth Derby winner Saturday.

With all due respect to Gallahadion, it was a perfect ride by Jockey Carroll Bierman, the veteran from Centralia, Wash., which told in the end. Bierman broke Gallahadion from the inside position, saved ground with him all the way to the stretch, and then finished just as he started—on the rail.

Bimmie Stale?

As for Bimmie, a 4 to 10 shot, he appeared "stale" from three races in the last nine days. He showed this particularly in the final gruelling quarter, where the true test comes for a three year old this early in the season.

He took the lead momentarily at the head of the straight road home, but just couldn't hold on when Sir Gallahad's big, handsome bay son looked him in the eye.

In fact, at the finish, he barely saved second place, for Arnold Hanger's Dit, another yearling "buy" at $4,000, came on again after being forced wide rounding the stretch turn.

Dit just missed the place spot by a nose. He was in third place by a length over the California "Glamour Boy," Charles S. Howard's Mioland, while the rest of the field of eight—Charles T. Fisher's Sirocco, Joseph E. Widener's Roman, Harold S. Clark's Royal Man, and the mud-running Marylander, William L. Brann's Pictor, trailed in that order.

Although run on a fast racing strip and in warm sunny weather, which had smiled its way in for the Bluegrass classic after a four-day touch of winter in Derbytown, Gallahadion's time of 2:05 was the slowest since Omaha came bouncing home first in 1935, on an off track. Omaha, incidentally, is a cousin of Saturday's winner.

Huge Crowd

No accurate check of the tremendous crowd, which jammed the grandstand and clubhouse, choked the picturesque clubhouse lawn, and packed all the front of the infield grass, was available immediately.

In the press box, the "experts" estimated some 75,000 to 80,000 saw the show. But the "experts" had climbed all the way out on the limb in picking Bimelech to win, virtually unanimously, so that they weren't too sure about this.

The winning warrior, a $72.40 for $2 shot in the mutuels, and $13.80 to place, springs from a long line of as fine a racing stock as you can find. His granddaddy, on the side of his dam, Countess Time, was Reigh Count, who won the Derby back in '28 on a muddy track. His daddy, Sir Gallahad III, sired Gallant Fox, winner of the "Triple Crown" of Derby, Preakness and Belmont, in '30. Omaha, "Triple Crown" winner in '35, was Gallant Fox' son.

Bimelech, who had carried all the important money, returned $3.20 to place, and $2.40 to show. Gallahadion was $4.80 for show, while Dit paid $2.80 for third. The handle on the big race was $465,149, far short of the record.

Semi-Pro Teams To Open Season In Grand Style

840,000 Players On Diamonds Today

By HAROLD CLAASSEN

WICHITA, Kan.—(AP)—What kind of a gent is Raymond Harry Dumont who took the sand out of sandlot baseball and cemented it into a business "employing" 840,000 men?

Why, he is a shy, little fellow, half-hidden behind a cigar he never smokes and possessed of a mind that manipulated a single idea into a potential million dollars.

He reigns over a domain 10 times as heavily populated as that of Commissioner K. M. Landis from a desk in the store room of a sporting goods house where he will rattle off the batting order of an obscure semi-pro nine in Alabama.

But he is the guy behind the 30,000 basemall games Sunday in honor of the second international "Semi-Pro Day."

Players in the first National tournament of 1935 slept in tents and lived on hamburgers. Participants of the past few years have lived in swank hotels and dined in a royal manner.

Although spectators at the various state, regional and national tournaments are estimated from one to two million, Dumont hasn't benefitted financially himself to any great degree.

Half of the gross receipts of every tournament are returned as prizes and the remainder must finance the National Congress and pay Dumont's modest salary.

The Congress now stretches across the United States in all directions and reaches into Canada, Mexico, Cuba, Puerto Rico and Hawaii. And Sunday some 840,000 players will forget they have been bootblacks or bankers during the week.

All of the games will start at 3 P. M., Central Standard Time. Down in Puerto Rico, Cuba and Mexico they will play under a tropic sun; in Canada the key game at New Waterford, N.S., is slated for a gymnasium as a precaution against the persistent cold.

Notables will toss the first ball at many of the contests.

Their pitches will open a campaign that won't end until 32 regional champions come here in late August to determine the National titleholder and the major winner of a $20,000 prize melon. A junket to Puerto Rico and a "World Series" with the champions of that island also wait the victors.

Umpire Wilson To File Appeal

DALLAS—(AP)—Umpire Bill Wilson of the Texas League Saturday night planned to file an appeal from the 90-day suspension assessed by President W. G. Bramham of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues, and President J. Alvin Gardner of the Texas League promised Wilson his "unqualified support."

Bramham announced his suspension from his office in Durham, N. C., after reviewing reports of a recent game in Fort Worth when Umpire Wilson believed he was menaced by San Antonio players and drew a knife.

President Gardner sharply criticized Bramham's action.

"The Texas League, having investigated the occurrence in its own territory, regrets that the president of the National Association has found it advisable to over-rule the league decision," he said.

"Our disciplinary action closed with a personal reprimand of Mr. Wilson and his frank and open apology to all concerned.

"The umpire, as this office has before stated, took extreme measures in self defense, probably unnecessary measures but nevertheless so effective that no other untoward incident occurred. He is not accused by anyone of having injured anyone or having done anything more than to assure the defense of his own person.

"The Texas League, in view of all of the circumstances of the case considered that it took an adequate disposition, one satisfactory to its officers, directors and club-owners."

In placing the suspension of 90 playing days, President Bramham explained that it was the first time in many years he had acted so in the case of an umpire.

"We must demand no less from the umpires than from the players," he said. "We can not permt unbecomng conduct on the part of either."

CO-CAPTAINS NAMED

MERCEDES — The 1940-1941 Mercedes High School football squad will be headed by captain Stanley Dalton and by co-captain Joe Adams, juniors who were elected by the "M" football club.

One hundred and seventy-two pound Dalton known as "Buckshot" is noted as a smashing full-back. He lettered in football the past three years.

Joe Adams, 197 pounder, distinguished himself as all Valley tackle in 1939. During the past two years he lettered i senior football.

Both Dalton and Adams are classified as high school juniors. They would have been ineligible if the 18-year rule had gone into effect.

Mrs. Goldthwaite Defeats Mrs. Hury For Golf Title

By FELIX R. McKNIGHT

DALLAS, Tex.—(AP)—Mechanical Mrs. Frank Goldthwaite brought the finest surge of her golfing career to a thunderous climax Saturday, regaining the Texas women's title she dropped six years ago with a 4 and 3 triumph over Mrs. Earl R. Hury of San Antonio.

The bronzed West Texan, attractive mother of daughters five and one year old, knifed through tree-bending wind in even women's par for 33 holes to quiet the challenge of a woman who has become known as a perennial runner-up.

Only once in the past month has Mrs. Goldthwaite, twice a member of the United States Curtis Cup team, scored out of the seventies, and that was in the qualifying round of this tournament when she skidded over muddy fairways for 45-38—83.

Putting Helps

Deft touch around the greens, amazing ability to drop five and six foot putts and a refusal to allow any break to upset her game, brought Mrs. Goldthwaite victory over a woman with a magnificent game who seems to always fall just short of the throne room.

A year ago this month Mrs. Hury was runner-up to National Champion Betty Jameson for the state title.

Over on the 500-yard fifteenth hole in the morning round Mrs. Goldthwaite won her golf match Saturday.

Three up at the time, Mrs. Goldthwaite pushed her tee shot deep into rough and ground under repair. She dropped into deep clover, punched her brassie second into more clover on the slope of a knoll. From there she blasted out nicely, still 150 yards from the green.

But her fourth was a championship shot, a low wind cheater that settled four feet from the hole. Meanwhile, Mrs. Hury had walloped two fine wood shots straight down the middle. She pulled her third into a trap, almost burying the ball. She blasted out, took two putts for a six. Mrs. Goldthwaite dropped her putt for an incredible five.

It was the difference of two holes to Mrs. Hury—not a win, to melt Mrs. Goldthwaite's lead, but a loss.

Mrs. Hury Rallies

Gamely Mrs. Hury rallied at the eighteenth, playing down the 390-yard hole beautifully with a 240-yard tee shot an an iron second that nestled three feet from the pin for a birdie three that cut Mrs. Goldthwaite's margin to three holes as they ended the morning round.

Over the third nine holes they scrapped on even terms in a growing wind, Mrs. Hury making magnificent recoveries from sand traps on four holes to hang on. On the twenty sixth her putt for a birdie two hung, by blades of grass, on the lip.

Mrs. Goldthwaite made it four up on the thirtieth with an amazing shot out of a sand trap that settled three feet from the cup for a winning par. She made it dormie five at the thirty first by chipping dead to the hole for a birdie three.

But Mrs. Hury wasn't through.

On the thirty second hole she hooked her tee shot into a trap 100 yards from the green. Cooly, she lofted a shot out of the sand to within 10 feet of the hole. She canned it for a birdie as Mrs. Goldthwaite parred.

On the thirty third Mrs. Hury still had a chance to keep the match alive, needing to get down from the edge of the green in two to win the hole, but she three-putted from 25 feet and the match was over.

TO FINAL ROUND



Katherine Jean of Donna (above) went to the finals in the Interscholastic League tennis tournament but was defeated by Ethel Norton of Thomas Jefferson, San Antonio. Miss Jean lost to Miss Norton in last year's finals also.

Donna Net Star Loses In Final

AUSTIN—(AP)— Walter Driver of Austin high school in El Paso Saturday battled through a blistering five-set match to win the state schoolboy singles tennis championship over John Hickman of Thomas Jefferson in San Antonio.

The score was 6-4, 3-6, 6-3, 3-6, 6-4.

Ethel Norton of Thomas Jefferson in San Antonio won the girls' singles championship 7-5, 6-0, over Katherine Jean of Donna.

The boys' doubles title went to Robert Lovelace and Frank Whaley of Corpus Christi, who defeated Jack Urlick and Billy Hamilton of Thomas Jefferson, San Antonio, 6-2, 6-4, 6-4.

Erleen Wehman and Addie Bell Lucas of Cuero defeated Violet Smith and Hattie Sue Carter of Masonic Home, Fort Worth, 6-3, 6-4, to win the girls' doubles championship.

Earlier Hickman beat Dick Elliot of Trinity, 5-7, 6-4, 6-1, in the semi-finals, while Driver eliminated Wayne Shaw of Athens, 6-2, 6-1.

Lovelace and Whaley gained the finals by a 6-4, 6-2, win over Billy Tabola and Ted Norpoth of John Reagan, Houston, and Uhrlich and Hamilton set down Bill Imke and Winton Jett of Follett, 6-2, 6-3.

Miss Norton scored a 6-1, 6-2 semi-final victory over Lela White of Fabens. Miss Jean defeated Mary Jane Bullington of Paschal, Fort Worth, 3-6, 6-3, 7-5.

Misses Smith and Carter won 6-4, 6-3, from Fort Davis, represented by Elizabeth Fowlkes and Frances Gribb, in the semi-finals, and Misses Wehman and Lucas downed Dortha Delaney and Lila Jane Miesenhelder of Edgewood, near San Antonio, 5-7, 6-3, 6-2.

FAIRY CHANT WINS

BALTIMORE—(AP)—Fairy Chant, a sweet stepping little chestnut lassie with lots of drive, showed her flicking heels to twelve other three-year old fillies in the 17th running of the $10,000 Added Pimlico Oaks Saturday.

The Foxcatcher Farms' filly, favorite in the large field, thrilled the crowd of 20,000—largest of the spring meeting—by dashing suddenly to the front at the top of the homestretch and winging away to a length and a half victory over Mrs. D. K. Kerr's True Call.

Log Cabin's Discerning was another four lengths back in third place and a length in front of W. L. Brann's Yarnith.

Mission Forms Softball Loop

MISSION — Formation of three new softball teams in Mission, in addition to the Romanos team which has been organized for several months, was announced last week. Sport fans announced that possibly one or more other teams would be organized within the near future The four teams now organized makes possible the formation of a city league.

Players on the Hustlers team, sponsored by Joe T. Abrego and Hubert Lee Smith, are Mervin Vollmer, Ray Roberts, Burl Roberts, Bernard Weisman, Ralph Findley, Bill Fine, Hubert L. Smith, John Wycoff, W. E. Wood, Otis Foy, Donald Gentry, Donald Tripson, Bjarne Bremer, Harry Garrie, Calvin Quick, Walter Wallace, and Quintin Townsend.

Organized this week was the Complete Oilers team, sponsored by the Complete Oil Well Service Company, with J. O. Parker as promoter and manager. Players are A. Webster, Lewis Stanford, Wright, Charlie Childs, McAlpin, Ply, Branch, Shella, Monroe Hetrick, James, Lee, Wayne Pullin, Leonard, Stein, Walters, Taylor and Ruble.

The Hustlers and the Complete Oilers will meet for the first time in a game carded for Monday night at Legion Ball Park, to begin at 8:15 o'clock.

A third new team is being organized under the sponsorship of the American Legion post. Bill Wagner is manager for the team which will be formed of high school boys. Signed up for the team are Alex Humphries, Dean Welch, Bob Turner, Sam Jackson, Joe Seitz, George Mehis, Harold Ewald, and Kenneth Ward.

First game of the new team will be with the Hustlers, set for Wednesday night at 8:15 at the Legion park.

NET ENTRIES OPENED

HOUSTON —(AP)— Entries were opened at Golfcrest Country Club here Saturday for the annual Texas State Tennis Championship tournament which will be held at the club, June 3-9.

Longhorns Race Over Christians In Wild Battle

Score Eleven Runs In One Frame

FORT WORTH —(AP)— Making most of their runs in the first, second and ninth innings, the University of Texas baseballers slammed out a 21-3 triumph over the TCU Horned Frogs here Saturday in a Southwest Conference game.

Leader of the Steers' 18 hit assault on three TCU pitchers was Captain Clarence Pfeil, who got five singles in six trips.

The box score:

TEXAS	AB	R	H	O	A
Haas, rf	6	1	2	2	0
Stone, 2b	5	4	2	1	4
Pfeil, cf	6	3	5	2	0
Hill, 1b	5	4	1	10	0
Moers, 3b	5	5	3	3	1
Layden, lf	7	1	1	2	0
Croucher, ss	5	1	3	0	4
Everett, c	5	1	0	7	0
Still, p	4	1	1	0	2
Totals	48	21	18	27	11

TCU	AB	R	H	O	A
Cowart, ss	2	1	1	3	2
R. Tankersley, c	4	1	2	5	0
Bilderback, 2b	4	0	0	3	1
Looney, cf	3	0	1	3	0
Sorrells, 3b	3	1	0	2	2
Brumbaugh, lf	3	0	0	2	0
Allen, 1b	3	0	1	8	1
Crawford, rf	4	0	0	0	0
Horner, p	1	0	0	1	1
x Sparks	1	0	0	0	0
Hoover, ss	2	0	1	0	2
Thompson, p	1	0	0	0	1
Abney, p	0	0	0	0	0
D. Tankersley xx	1	0	1	0	0
Alexander xxx	1	0	0	0	0
Vandervolk y	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	37	3	7	27	10

x—Batted for Horner in 5th.
xx—Batted for Cowart in 5th.
xxx—Batted for Brumbaugh in 9th.
y—Batted for Allen in 9th.

Texas	4	4	0	0	1	(11)	—	2	1
TCU	3	0	0	0	0	0	—	3		

Errors—Cowart 2, Hoover, Tankersley. Home run—Stone. Three base hit—Tankersley. Two base hits—Cowart, Looney, Allen. Hill. Runs batted in — Stone 3, Croucher 5, Tankersley, Allen, Moers 3, Layden 2, Haas, Pfeil 2. Left on bases—Texas 11, TUC 9. Losing pitcher—Horner. Winning pitcher—Still. Base on balls—Horner 4, Still 1, Thompson 8, Abney 4. Struck out—Horner 1, Still 8, Thompson 2. Wild pitch—Horner 2, Thompson 1. Passed ball—Everett. Double plays—Horner to Tankersley to Allen. Stolen bases—Pfeil, Hill, Layden. Hit by pitcher—Croucher by Thompson. Time—2:40. Umpires—Milton and Curtis.

Aggies Defeat Mustangs 4-2

COLLEGE STATION —(AP)— The Texas Aggies beat Southern Methodist, 4 to 2, here Saturday.

The Aggies scored two runs in the fifth on a double and two singles and two more in the seventh on two hits, two walks and an error.

The box score:

AGGIES	AB	R	H	O	A
Ballow, ss	3	0	0	1	1
Stone, 3b	5	0	1	0	3
Alsobrook, cf	5	1	2	1	0
Scoggin, lf	3	0	0	0	0
Cooper, lf	2	1	1	0	0
Doran, c	4	2	2	14	4
Kirkpatrick, rf	3	0	1	2	0
J. Lindsey, 2b	2	0	1	3	0
Pugh, 1b	1	0	0	1	0
Henderson, 1b	2	0	0	5	0
Bass, p	0	0	0	0	0
Bumpers p	2	0	1	0	1
Totals	32	4	9	27	9

S.M.U.	AB	R	H	O	A
Kilmer, ss	2	1	1	2	0
Davis, 2b	2	1	0	1	2
Keith, 1b	4	0	1	6	0
Bianchi, lf	3	0	1	1	0
Ramsey, rf	3	0	0	0	0
Pace, cf	4	0	1	3	0
Atchison, p	3	0	0	0	6
Clement, 3b	3	0	0	0	0
Bledsoe, a	1	0	0	0	0
Aulenbach, c	2	0	0	11	0
Tessman b	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	28	2	4	24	8

a—Batted for Clement in 9th.
b—Batted for Aulenbach in 9th.

S.M.U.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	— 2
Aggies	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	x	— 4

Errors — Henderson, J. Lindsey, Pace, Davis. Runs — Alsobrook, Cooper, Doran 2, Kilmer, Davis. Runs batted in—Doran, Kirkpatrick, J. Kirkpatrick, J. Lindsey. Two base hits—Keith, Doran, Cooper. Stolen bases — Alsobrook 2. Sacrifices—Atchison, Henderson, Ballow, J. Lindsey. Left on bases—Aggies 12, S.M.U. 7. Base on balls—off Bass 3, Bumpers 4, Atchison 5. Struck out—by Bumpers 14, Atchison 10. Hits—off Bass no hits, 2 runs, no innings (none out in first) off Bumpers 4 hits, no runs in 9 innings. Winning pitcher—Bumpers. Umpires — Etie and Walsh. Time of game—2:25.

TROJANS 7; PALS 3

TYLER, Tex.—(AP)—Timely hitting and Palestine errors gave Tyler a 7-3 victory over the Pals Saturday night.

John Hyver, Tyler rookie, won his second game in a week, giving up but six scattered hits.

Palestine	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	— 3
Tyler	0	1	0	0	4	0	2	0	x	— 7

Rosengarten and Funderburk; Hyver and Deweese.

Fast Field Will Tee Off In Public Links Tourney



Pictured above are a few of the many prizes to be awarded in the Tenth Annual Texas Women's Public Links Golf Association tournament, scheduled in Harlingen, May 12-18. It seems doubtful that any entrant will fail to take home a prize. (Staff Photo.)

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HARLINGEN—With one of the fastest fields in the history of the event, the Tenth Annual Texas Women's Public Links Golf Association tournament, to be held over the Harlingen municipal course May 12-18, bids fair to be one of Texas' outstanding links events of the year.

Mrs. Ann Loveless, president of the state association, predicted Saturday that in addition to a fast field, one of the largest entry lists appeared certain. Rio Grande Valley shotmakers are entering in increasing numbers with 12 names in the book to date, registered from Brownsville, McAllen, San Benito, La Feria and Harlingen. This week will find the Valley contingent sharpening up their game and posting their scores.

Twenty-one players, including defending champion, Mrs. E. H. Wohlfahrt, will represent Houston in the tournament. The Houston players will begin arriving here May 9 in order to get in practice rounds over the title layout.

Mrs. Wolfahrt has won the state public links title three times and was runner-up once. She won in 1935, 1937 and 1939 and was runner-up in 1928.

Other Houston entries are: Mrs. R. L. Lever, Mrs. E. G. Wagner, Mrs. Murray Harris, Mrs. E. G. Phister, Mrs. R. M. Smith, Mrs. Conrad Smith, Mrs. E. K. Wilkins, Mrs. P. C. Born, Mrs. Jack Speer, Mrs. W. D. Parsons, Mrs. C. D. Wilkinson, Mrs. Gus Mancuso, the wife of the veteran major league catcher, Mrs. Earl Stonecipher, Mrs. Jimmy Delmar, Mrs. C. R. Hodges, Mrs. W. M. Hutchings, Mrs. R. C. Standish, Mrs. Fred L. Sharp, Mrs. M. M. Franks and Miss Gertrude Birkman.

Dallas is sending down a large contingent including Miss Virginia Ratledge, Mrs. Jack Hirsch, Mrs. Betty Burgess and Mrs. M. B. Parsons.

Mrs. J. Lee Wilson, twice winner of the muny title, and Mrs. Lee Christopher, of San Antonio, are expected to enter as well as others from the Alamo City.

No information has been received to date from other Texas cities but almost every section of the state is expected to be represented in the tournament, the first women's state event ever to be held in the Vally.

Th local course is being put in top condition by Claud Liston, manager, with the greens and fairways receiving unusual attention. In addition the club house has been renovated.

Plans for entertaining the contestants are virtually complete and a number of interesting social events are on the program.

Texas Golfers Win In Arkansas Meet

LITTLE ROCK, Ark.—(AP)—Two Arkansans and two Texans stroked their way into the semi-final of the Little Rock Country Club's 33rd annual invitation golf tourney here Saturday.

Medalist Jack Munger of Dallas meets Frank Stiedle of Hot Springs Sunday morning, while Harry Todd of Dallas plays Vincent Allison of Fort Smith. The finals will be Sunday afternoon.

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DALLAS' HIGHLAND PARK TAKES MEET

Donna Ties For Sixth At Austin

Truman Cox Scores Valley Points

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF

AUSTIN — (AP) — Barrel-chested Ralph Schrimp, to whom the word "quit" is foreign, streaked down the stretch here Saturday with an unbelievable spurt that brought the state school boy track and field championship to Highland Park of Dallas in a meet that saw three records broken.

He was in fourth place, 30 yards behind the leading Port Arthur runner in the mile relay when he took the baton from Tommy Winn. He had finished winning the half mile less than an hour before.

But Schrimf, knowing that it all depended on him—that if Highland Park didn't place in the relay the school would lose the meet—turned on the heat all the way and coming into the home stretch slipped into second place and was gaining on the Port Arthur runner at the finish. He ran it in around 50 seconds.

Ralph Wolf, who upset all predictions to win the 440-yard dash, whirled around the last lap with yards to spare to keep Highland Park in second place and thus capture the 26th annual championship of the Interscholastic League.

Tahoka Second

Highland Park had 13 points. Tahoka, whose one-man team, Max Minor, looked like he might win the meet alone, finished fourth in the broad jump to give his school second place.

Austin of El Paso finished third with 10 points, Reagan (Houston) was fourth with 7 and Elgin was fifth with 6 1-5 points.

It was the best meet held here in years and was the first in which a record was broken since 1936.

Minor was the individual star, setting a new record in the 220-yard low hurdles that tied the National Interscholastic mark, and winning the 220-yard daash, in addition to his fourth place in the broad jump. He was high point man with 11.

Minor's time in the hurdles was 23.5 seconds, three-tenths of a second under the state standard set in 1933 by Jack McGarraugh of Edison High, San Antonio. It tied the National record set by Oliver of Dayton, Ohio, in 1931.

Port Arthur's relay team set a net record of 3:25.2. This bettered the mark of 3:25.6 set in 1932 by Abilene. The members of the winning relay team were Lawrence Thorne, Lovelace Trahan, Warren Devillier and Harold Bartlett. Thorne took a long lead in the first lap and never let down. The others ran just as steadily as he did.

Third Record

The third record set was in the javelin throw. Matthew Batts of San Antonio Tech threw the spear 201 feet, 5 1-2 inches in Friday's preliminaries to better the old record of 196 feet, 8 inches, made by D. C. O'Neill of Yoakum in 1934. He did not surpass the mark Saturday.

Minor's time in 220-yard dash was 21.6 seconds, eight-tenths of a second over the record. In the broad jump he lacked a foot and four inches of equalling first and winning the meet alone.

The real thrillers was Wolfe's victory in the 440-yard dash, an event in which at least four boys had made better time than the Dallas' boy previous to the meet. Wolf, a football player with another year of competition in that sport and track, came from the pack at the last turn. He was fourth there with LeRoy Mattingly and Emerick Labus of Karnes City fighting it out for the lead 10 yards away. Wolf spurted and as he passed Don Frye of Arlington Heights (Fort Worth), who also had forged to the front, he was winning going away.

Wolf's feat gave Highland Park the early lead Coach Floyd Hightower had hoped for.

Jerry Thompson of Woodrow Wilson (Dallas), a star mile runner who had been expected to win this event, had the misfortune of a collision at the first turn with Wilbur Bassett of Amarillo. Bassett went down and stayed there but Thompson got up and ran a gritty race. He faded in the stretch, however, and finished sixth.

Denzil Kennemer of Iraan, another one-man track team, won the 120-yard high hurdles in near record time but finished fourth in the 220-yard dash. Friday, he was disqualified in the 100-yard dash because he jumped the gun twice. This was an event he would have been favored to win had he remained in it.

Brady, the 1939 champion, finished in a tie for sixth place with six points.

Other team point totals: Donna, Iraan 6; Aledo, Brackenridge (San Antonio) Moran, San Jacinto, (Houston), Conroe, Port Arthur, San Antonio Tech, Buckner Home (Dallas) 5; Kingsville, South Park (Beaumont) 4; Arlington Heights (Fort Worth), Sherman, Hico, Wink, Beaumont, Henderson 3; Karnes City, Alexander, West, Wichita Falls, Big Lake 2; Lavernia, Seagraves, South San Antonio 1 1-5; Ysleta, Adamson (Dallas) Angelton, Amarillo, Austin High, El Campo 1

AUSTIN —(AP)— Summaries of the Texas Interscholastic track and field meet Saturday included:

120-yard high hurdles: Won by Kennemer, Iraan; second, Cox, Donna; third, McInnis, Brady. 15 seconds.

100-yard dash—won by White, Austin (ElPaso); second, Odom, Sherman; fourth, Adame, Kingsville. 9.8 seconds.

220-yard low hurdles third Cox, Donna; fourth, Olsen, Ysleta. 23.5 (new record).

Discus throw: Second, Callahan, Wink, 130 feet 9 1-2 inches; fourth, Cox, Donna, 122 feet 11 1-2 inches.

220-yard dash: Won by Minor, Tanoka; second, Adame, Kingsville; Kennemer, Iraan, fourth. Time 21.6.



JUST ANOTHER 'DEAN'—Not all the baseball "Deans" are Diz and Daffy, for here's Arthur Lovill "Chubby" Dean, who's been pitching baseball headlines for the Athletics. A native of Mount Airy, N. C., he used to pitch at Duke.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

A'S 14; TIGERS 5

PHILADELPHIA—(AP)—The Philadelphia Athletics hammered three Detroit pitchers for 17 hits to scuttle the Tigers 14 to 5 in Shibe Park Saturday. Freddie Hutchinson, removed in the third when the A's scored six runs on as many hits, was charged with the loss.

Detroit	AB	R	H	Philadel.	AB	R	H
Bartell ss	4	2	2	Miles cf	5	1	3
McCosky cf	3	0	2	Moses rf	5	2	2
Averill cf	2	1	2	McCoy 2b	5	2	2
Gehringer 2b	4	0	1	Johnson lf	4	2	2
Greenberg lf	5	0	0	Siebert 1b	5	1	1
Campbell rf	3	1	0	Hayes c	4	3	4
York 1b	4	1	2	Rubeling 3b	5	1	2
Higgins 3b	4	0	1	Lillard ss	3	2	1
Tebbetts c	4	0	0	Babich p	3	0	0
Hutchinson p	1	0	0				
Trout p	1	0	0				
Seats p	2	0	0				
Totals	37	5	10	Totals	39	14	17

Detroit	101	000	021—	5
Philadelphia	016	040	03x—	14

Errors: Bartell, Gehringer, McCoy, Lillard. Runs batted in: Gehringer, Greenberg, Hayes 3, Moses, McCoy 3, Rubeling 2 Lillard, Miles, Higgins, Averill. Two base hits: York 2, Moses, Johnson, Miles, McCosky, McCoy. Three base hits: Rubeling. Home run: Hayes, McCoy, Averill. Stolen bases: Johnson, Ruebling. Sacrifices: Babich. Double plays: Rubeling, McCoy and Siebert. Left on bases: Detroit 5; Philadelphia 5. Bases on balls: Hutchinson 1; Trout 1; Babich 3; Seats 1. Struck out: by Hutchinson 2; Trout 3; Babich 4; Seats 1. Hits off: Hutchinson 4 in 2 1-3; Trout 8 in 2 1-3; Seats 5 in 3 1-3. Wild pitch: Trout. Losing pitcher: Hutchinson. Umpires: Ormsby, Rue and Basil. Time: 2:14.

INDIANS 12; SENS 4

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Blasting 13 hits off the offerings of Ken Chase, Bucky Jones and Gilberto Torres, Cleveland registered a 12-4 victory over Washington Saturday. Roy Mack smashed a homer for the Indians in the sixth.

Cleveland	AB	R	H	Wash'gton	AB	R	H
Boudreau ss	5	3	2	Case cf	4	2	2
Weatherly cf	5	2	2	Lewis rf	5	0	4
Chapman rf	5	2	2	Walker lf	5	0	1
Bell 1b	5	1	2	Bonura 1b	5	0	2
Heath lf	6	1	1	Travis 3b	5	1	1
Keltner 3b	3	1	1	Bl'dworth 2b	4	1	1
Hemsley c	5	0	0	Pofahl ss	3	0	0
Mack 2b	4	1	2	Ferrell c	2	0	1
Milnar p	2	1	1	Chase p	2	0	0
Eisenstat p	1	0	0	Jacobs p	1	0	0
				Torres p	0	0	0
				Welaz z	1	0	0
Totals	41	12	13	Totals	38	4	12

z—Batted for Torres in 9th.

Cleveland	003	003	051—	12
Washington	100	002	100—	4

Errors: Case, Bloodworth 2, Bonura, Pofahl. Runs batted in: Walker, Chapman 2, Mack 2, Weatherly 2, Bloodworth, Bonura, Bell, Heath, Keltner. Two base hits: Lewis, Bell, Boudreau 2. Three base hits: Chapman, Bloodworth. Home runs: Mack. Stolen bases: Case. Sacrifices: Milnar. Double plays: Travis, Bloodworth and Bonura; Boudreau, Mack and Bell. Left on bases: Cleveland 11; Washington 10. Bases on balls: off Milnar 3; Chase 7; Jacobs 1. Struck out: by Milnar 1; by Chase 4, by Jacobs 1. Hits: off Chase 7 in 5 2-3 innings; off Torres 1 in 1 1-3; off Jacobs 5 in 2; off Milnar 9 in 6 (0 out in 7th); off Eisenstat 3 in 3. Balk: Chase. Winning pitcher: Milnar. Losing pitcher: Chase. Umpires: Geisel, McGowan and Kolls. Time: 2:25.

WHITE SOX 10; YANKS 3

NEW YORK—(AP)—The Chicago White Sox, behind Thornton Lee's nine hit pitching, walloped the New York Yankees, 10-3 Saturday.

The Sox pounded four Yankee pitchers for 15 hits with Joe Kuhel leading the assault with two home runs.

Chicago	AB	R	H	New York	AB	R	H
Kennedy 3b	4	1	0	Crosetti ss	4	1	0
Kuhel 1b	5	2	2	Rolfe 3b	4	0	2
Kreevich cf	5	2	1	Selkirk lf	4	0	0
Wright rf	5	2	2	Keller rf	3	0	0
Appling ss	4	2	1	Rosar c	4	1	2
Solters lf	5	0	4	Gordon 2b	4	0	0
McNair 2b	5	0	1	Henrich cf	4	0	1
Tresh c	4	0	3	Dahlgren 1b	4	0	2
Lee p	3	1	1	Sundra p	0	0	0
				Hadley p	2	0	0
				Hildebr'd p	0	0	0
				Mills z	1	1	1
				Grissom p	0	0	0
				K'krb'kr zz	1	0	0
Totals	40	10	15	Totals	35	3	9

z—Batted for Hildebrand in 8th.
zz—Batted for Grissom in 9th.

Chicago	400	000	510—	10
New York	010	000	020—	3

Errors: Keller, Appling, Rolfe, Hildebrand, Lee. Runs batted in: Kuhel 2, Solters 3, Henrich, Wright 2, Appling, McNair, Rolfe, Selkirk. Two base hits: Solters, Henrich, Lee, Rosar, Rolfe. Home runs: Kuhel 2. Stolen base: Rosar. Sacrifice: Lee. Double plays: Appling, McNair and Kuhel; Crosetti, Gordon and Dahlgren. Left on bases: New York 7; Chicago 9. Bases on balls: off Sundra 1; Hadley 2; Hildebrand 1; off Lee 2; Grissom 1. Struck out: by Lee 3; Hadley 2. Hits: off Sundra 4 in 1-3; Hadley 6 in 6; Hildebrand 3 in 1 2-3; Grissom 2 in 1. Losing pitcher: Sundra. Umpires: Grieve, Moriarty, Hubbard and Rommel. Time: 2:15. Attendance 5,303.

RED SOX 4; BROWNS 1

BOSTON—(AP)—Boston's Red Sox hit lightly but effectively Saturday to give pitcher Denny Galehouse his first victory of the year, a 4-1 triumph which swept a two-game series with the luckless St. Louis Browns.

St. Louis	AB	R	H	Boston	AB	R	H
Strange ss	5	0	2	Finney rf	4	1	1
Judnich cf	5	0	0	Cramer cf	4	0	0
McQuinn 1b	4	1	3	Williams lf	3	1	2
Radcliff lf	4	0	0	Foxx 1b	3	2	2
Hoag rf	4	0	1	Cronin ss	3	0	0
Clift 3b	4	0	1	Doerr 2b	4	0	1
Heffner 2b	4	0	0	Tabor 3b	4	0	0
Swift c	3	0	3	Desautels c	2	0	0
x Laabs	1	0	0	Galehouse p	3	0	0
Susce c	0	0	0				
Harris p	3	0	1				
Niggeling p	0	0	0				
xx Berardino	1	0	0				
Totals	38	1	11	Totals	30	4	6

x—Batted for Swift in 8th.
xx—Batted for Niggeling in 9th.

St. Louis	000	010	000—	1
Boston	100	100	02x—	4

Errors: Strange, Clift, Foxx, Doerr. Runs batted in: Hoag, Williams, Doerr, Desautels. Two base hits: McQuinn, Hoag, Doerr. Three base hits: McQuinn, Finney. Sacrifices: Galehouse. Double plays: Tabor, Doerr and Foxx; Doerr, Cronin and Foxx. Left on bases: St. Louis 10, Boston 8. Base on balls: Harris 3, Niggeling 2. Struck out: by Niggeling 1, Galehouse 5. Hits: off Harris 6 in 7 1-3; Niggeling 0 in 2-3. Losing pitcher: Harris. Umpires: Summers and Quinn. Time: 2:10.

Junior College Meet Is Won By Schreiner

ARLINGTON—(AP)—Bill Cummins of El Paso made 27 1-2 points to take individual honors and lead Schreiner Institute's track and field team to victory in the Texas Junior College Athletic Association meet Saturday.

Schreiner totaled 66 points; Paris Junior College was second with 54 and the John Tarleton was third with 53. The North Texas Aggies scored 21 for fourth place.

F. W. Duckworth, Paris, clicked off the mile in 4:34.3 to lower the record of 4:42.3 made by Nelson of N. T. A. C. in 1927. Stamford of San Angelo was second.

Morris of San Angelo placed fourth in high hurdles and second in the 220-yard low hurdles.

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Merchants To Meet Eagle Team Today

BROWNSVILLE — The Brownsville Merchants will play the Harlingen Eagles here Sunday afternoon in a game that should be close all the way.

The game is scheduled to start at 3:30 p. m.

BAYLOR FROSH WIN

WACO—(AP)—The Baylor University freshmen beat the Texas A. and M. fish Saturday 10 to 6 with Bob Miller allowing the Cadets but nine hits and driving in three runs.

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Rizer, Pareman and Aldridge; Miller and Wilkins.

NATIONAL

CUBS 3; GIANTS 2

CHICAGO—(AP)—A home run by a former teammate, Hank Leiber, that went over the left field wall beat the Giants 3-2 in their first meeting with the Chicago Cubs Saturday.

Leiber's drive came in the sixth inning to break a tie to give Larry French his third victory of the season.

New York	AB	R	H	Chicago	AB	R	H
Whitehead 3b	4	0	1	Hack 3b	3	0	0
Moore lf	4	1	1	Herman 2b	3	0	0
Demaree cf	4	0	2	Galan cf	4	0	0
Ott rf	3	0	1	Leiber rf	4	1	2
Danning c	4	0	1	Nicholson lf	4	0	0
Young 1b	3	0	0	Cavarreta 1b	2	1	0
Seeds x	1	0	0	Todd c	3	1	2
Jurges ss	4	0	1	Mattick ss	3	0	1
Witek 2b	3	1	1	French p	3	0	1
Hubbell p	2	0	0				
Totals	32	2	8	Totals	29	3	6

x—Batted for Young in 9th.

New York	110	000	000—	2
Chicago	010	101	00x—	3

Errors: Witek, Mattick. Runs batted in Whitehead, Danning, Leiber, Todd, Mattick. Two base hit: Moore. Home runs: Leiber, Todd. Sacrifice: Hubbell. Double play: Todd and Mattick; Mattick, Herman and Cavarretta. Left on bases: New York 6; Chicago 5. Base on balls: Hubbell 3, French 2. Struck out: by Hubbell 2; French 2. Umpires: Campbell, Klem and Ballanfant. Time: 1:51.

CARDS 3; BEES 1

ST. LOUIS—(AP)—In their thirteenth game, the St. Louis Cardinals had a pitcher go the full route for the first time this season as Fiddler McGee defeated the Boston Bees on four hits Saturday, 3 to 1. McGee drove in one of the Cards' runs and scored another.

Boston	AB	R	H	St. Louis	AB	R	H
Rowell 2b	4	0	1	Lake 2b	2	1	0
Hassett rf	4	0	0	Gutteridg 3b	3	0	0
West cf	2	0	1	Slaughtr rf	4	0	2
Cuccinello 3b	4	0	0	Medwick lf	4	0	1
Ross lf	4	0	0	Mize 1b	3	0	0
Scarsella 1b	4	0	0	Moore cf	4	0	0
Masi c	3	0	0	Marion ss	3	1	1
Miller ss	3	1	2	Owen c	3	0	1
Sullivan p	3	0	0	McGee p	2	1	1
Totals	31	1	4	Totals	28	3	7

Boston	000	000	010—	1
St. Louis	003	000	00x—	3

Errors: Sullivan, Marion. Runs batted in: McGee, Slaughter 2, Rowell. Two base hits: Miller 2, Slaughter, Sacrifice: McGee. Double plays: Rowell, Miller and Scarsella; Lake and Mize; Cuccinello, Rowell and Scarsella. Left on bases: Boston 5; St. Louis 6. Bases on balls: off Sullivan 4, off McGee 2. Struck out: by Sullivan 4, by McGee 3. Umpires: Stewart, Magerkurth and Barr. Time: 1:59.

REDS 3; PHILS 2

CINCINNATI—(AP)—A wild pitch by Kirby Higbe, scoring Billy Myers, gave the Cincinnati Reds a 3 to 2 victory over the Philadelphia Phillies in the 11th inning Saturday. Joe Beggs, rookie who relieved Paul Derringer in the 10th, got credit for the win.

Philadelphia	AB	R	H	Cincinnati	AB	R	H
Schulte 2b	5	0	0	Werber 3b	4	0	0
Martin cf	5	1	1	Frey 2b	4	1	1
Mahan 1b	5	1	1	Goodman rf	4	0	1
Arnovich lf	4	0	1	F M'Cmk 1b	5	0	2
Klein rf	4	0	0	Lombardi c	4	0	1
Warren c	4	0	1	DiMaglo z	0	1	0
Mueller 3b	3	0	0	Myers ss	1	1	0
Ragan ss	4	0	2	Craft cf	2	0	0
Higbe p	4	0	0	M M Cmk lf	3	0	2
				Joost ss	2	0	0
				Herch'gr zz	1	0	1
				Gamble zzz	0	0	0
				Beggs p	0	0	0
				Derringer p	3	0	0
				Baker c	1	0	0
Totals	34	2	6	Totals	34	3	8

None out when winning run scored.
z—Ran for Lombardi in 9th.
zz—Batted for Joost in 9th.
zzz—Ran for Hershberger in 9th.

Philadelphia	000	200	000	00—2
Cincinnati	000	100	001	01—2

Errors: Mahan, Bragan, Higbe. Runs batted in: Mahan, Bragan, F. McCormick, Hershberger. Two base hit: Martin. Stolen bases: Werber, Frey. Sacrifices: Klein, Craft 2, Joost. Double play: Schulte and Bragan and Mahan. Left on bases: Philadelphia 6, Cincinnati 9. Bases on balls: off Higbe 5, off Derringer 2. Hits: off Derringer 4 in 9; off Beggs 2 in 2. Wild pitch: Higbe. Winning pitcher: Beggs. Umpires: Dunn, Jorda and Sears. Time: 2:09.

Metheny To Battle Jones At McAllen

McALLEN — Hank Metheny and Paul Jones will wrestle in the main event bout at the McAllen Sports Arena Tuesday night for two out of three falls with a two-hour time limit.

Superman (whoever he is) will meet Ray Eckert in the semi-final. Otto Kuss is the referee.

Lions Will Play Corpus Nine Today

MERCEDES—The Mercedes Lions face the strong Corpus Christi Beermen in a double-header Sunday afternoon at Lions Park.

The Lions are certain to have plenty of trouble with the visitors but have strengthened their roster and are favored to win.

The first game will start at 2:30 p. m.

THE SCOREBOARD

TEXAS LEAGUE
Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Houston	14	7	.667	
San Antonio	14	8	.636	½
Tulsa	11	10	.524	3
Oklahoma City	11	11	.500	3½
Fort Worth	11	12	.478	4
Beaumont	9	12	.429	5
Shreveport	8	13	.381	6
Dallas	7	12	.368	6

Results Saturday
Houston 10; Beaumont 2
Fort Worth 10; Dallas 0
Oklahoma City 6; Tulsa 5
San Antonio 7; Shreveport 1.

Games Today
San Antonio at Beaumont (2) (D)
Houston at Shreveport (2) (D)
Dallas at Tulsa (2) (D)
Fort Worth at Oklahoma City (2) (D).

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Boston	10	4	.714	
Cleveland	9	4	.692	½
Detroit	8	6	.571	2
New York	6	7	.462	3½
Washington	6	8	.429	4
Philadelphia	6	8	.429	4
St. Louis	5	8	.385	4½
Chicago	4	8	.333	5

Results Saturday
Boston 4; St. Louis 1
Cleveland 12; Washington 4
Chicago 10; New York 3
Philadelphia 14; Detroit 5.

Games Today
Detroit at New York
Cleveland at Boston
St. Louis at Washington
Chicago at Philadelphia.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Brooklyn	9	1	.900	
Cincinnati	8	3	.727	1½
Chicago	8	7	.533	3½
New York	5	5	.500	4
Pittsburgh	4	6	.400	5
St. Louis	5	8	.385	5
Philadelphia	3	6	.333	5½
Boston	2	8	.200	7

Results Saturday
Cincinnati 3; Philadelphia 2
St. Louis 3; Boston 1
Chicago 3; New York 2
Brooklyn at Pittsburgh, cold.

Games Today
New York at Cincinnati
Brooklyn at St. Louis
Philadelphia at Chicago
Boston at Pittsburgh.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Minneapolis	9	4	.692	
Kansas City	9	4	.692	
Indianapolis	8	5	.615	1
Louisville	8	7	.533	2
St. Paul	6	7	.462	3
Milwaukee	5	6	.455	3
Toledo	5	7	.417	3½
Columbus	3	11	.214	6½

Results Saturday
Milwaukee 2; Toledo 0
St. Paul 9; Louisville 5
Minneapolis 10; Indianapolis 2
Kansas City 10; Columbus 0.

Games Today
Toledo at Kansas City
Columbus at Milwaukee
Louisville at Minneapolis
Indianapolis at St. Paul.

EVANGELINE LEAGUE
New Iberia 2; Opelousas 7
Houma 4; Lafayette 2
Alexandria 2; Lake Charles 3
Rayne 9; Port Arthur 8.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION
Memphis 6; Atlanta 0
Birmingham 5; Nashville 4
Chattanooga 3; Little Rock 1
Knoxville 5; New Orleans 3.

Today's Pitchers

NEW YORK—(AP)—Probable pitchers in the major leagues Sunday (won-lost records in parentheses):

American League

St. Louis at Washington—Kennedy (0-2) vs Leonard (1-2).

Chicago at Philadelphia—Lyons (1-1) vs Dean (2-0).

Detroit at New York—Newsom (1-1) vs Ruffing (1-2).

Cleveland at Boston—Feller (2-2) vs Dickman (1-2).

National League

Philadelphia at Chicago—Mulcahy (1-1) vs Dean (1-1).

Boston at Pittsburgh—Errickson (0-0) vs Brown (2-0).

New York at Cincinnati—Lohrman (1-0) vs Walters (3-0).

Brooklyn at St. Louis—Wyatt (2-0) or Hamlin (1-0) vs Lanier (1-0) or Bowman (0-1).

Wise County School Wins Class B Track

DENTON—(AP)—Boyd high school of Wise county edged out Everman high of Tarrant and Plains of Yoakum by half a point Saturday to win the state Class B track and field championship.

Carl Walser garnered all of the Plains team's 10 1-2 points. Boyd clinched the title by winning second in the mile relay, closing event of the meet.

Waco State Home was third with 10 1-3 points.

Dalton Campbell of Lipan nosed out Dalton Alexander of Blum to set a new record of 4:43.6 in the featured mile race. The old mark of 4:44.4 was set by Pope of Big Sandy last year.

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TEXAS LEAGUE

BUFFS 10; EXPORTERS 2

BEAUMONT—(AP)—Houston evened up the short series with the Exporters here Saturday winning 10 to 2, largely through a seven run uprising in the eighth inning.

Houston	AB	R	H	Beaumont	AB	R	H
Murtaugh 3b	4	1	1	Korte ss	5	0	0
Antonelli 2b	5	1	2	Vincent 2b	3	2	2
Winsett lf	4	0	1	Harris rf	5	0	2
x Vezellen lf	1	0	0	Secory lf	4	0	0
Cullop rf	5	2	2	Franklin 3b	2	0	1
Wyrostek cf	5	2	2	Parsons c	4	0	0
Narron c	4	1	0	Patrick cf	3	0	0
Angle 1b	4	1	1	z Carter cf	1	0	0
Davis ss	3	2	1	Sturdivt 1b	3	0	1
Wissman p	1	0	0	Mueller p	3	0	1
Krist p	3	0	2	Gann p	0	0	0
				Hardy p	0	0	0
				zz Perry	1	0	1
Totals	39	10	12	Totals	34	2	8

x—Batted for Winsett in 8th.
z—Batted for Patrick in 8th.
zz—Batted for Hardy in 9th.

Houston	000	001	270—	10
Beaumont	101	000	000—	2

Runs batted in: Murtaugh 2, Antonelli, Wyrostek, Narron, Angle 2, Davis, Krist. Earned runs: Houston 9, Beaumont 1. Bases on balls: off Wissman 3, Krist 2, Mueller 1, Gann 1. Struck out: by Wissman 2, Krist 3, Mueller 6, Hardy 2. Balk: Hardy. Pitchers' statistics: 8 hits 6 runs off Mueller in 7 1-3 innings, 2 hits 3 runs off Gann in 0 innings (none out in 8th) 3 hits 1 run off Hardy in 1 2-3 innings, 4 hits 2 runs off Wissman in 2 innings (none out in 3rd), 4 hits 0 runs off Krist in 7 innings. Winning pitcher: Krist. Losing pitcher: Mueller. Three base hit: Murtaugh, two base hits: Sturdivant. Double play: Murtaugh to Angle, Narron to Angle. Sacrifice hit: Murtaugh. Left on bases: Beaumont 10, Houston 5. Errors: Murtaugh, Angle, Korte, Harris, Parsons. Umpires: Palmer, Smith.

CATS 10; REBELS 0

DALLAS—(AP)—Buster Chatham, Rabbit McDowell, Hank Oana and Walter Cazen clouted home runs here Saturday night as the Fort Worth Cats bombed the Dallas rebels for a 10 to 0 victory.

Charles Baron, young Cat first baseman, suffered a broken leg, in the first inning, when Rabbit Rigby, Dallas infielder, collided with the visiting player as he slid into first trying to make a hit off a grounder.

Fort Worth	AB	R	H	Dallas	AB	R	H
Chatham cf	5	3	3	Rigby 2b	4	0	1
McDowell 2b	5	1	3	Adair lf	4	0	1
Cazen rf	5	1	1	Mort 1b	4	0	1
Jeffries 3b-1b	4	0	1	Puccinelli rf	4	0	0
Oana lf	5	2	1	Lee cf	4	0	0
Baron 1b	0	0	0	Clarke 3b	4	0	1
O'Brien 3b	4	0	1	Levey ss	4	0	1
Abreu ss	2	1	1	Weiland c	4	0	1
Linton c	4	1	1	Gliatto p	2	0	0
Nicholas p	4	1	0				
Totals	39	10	12	Totals	34	0	6

Fort Worth	011	400	112—	10
Dallas	000	000	000—	0

Errors: Chatham, Abreu, Lee, Clarke, Levey, Gliatto. Runs batted in: Chatham 3, McDowell 2, Cazen 2, Oana, Linton. Two base hits: Mort, Levey. Three base hit: Chatham. Home runs: Chatham, McDowell, Oana, Cazen. Caught stealing: McDowell, Abreu and Chatham by Weiland. Double plays: Levey to Rigby to Mort 2; Abreu to McDowell to Jeffries. Struck out: by Gliatto 3, Nitcholas 6. Bases on balls: off Gliatto 3, Left on bases: Dallas 8, Fort Worth 4. Earned runs: Fort Worth 7. Time of game:

Tiger Gridders In Annual Tilt

MERCEDES — The annual football game here last Thursday night between the Mercedes Tigers and the high school seniors, composed of ten graduating lettermen, ended in a 6-6 tie. The game climaxed the 30-day spring training season for the Tiger squad.

A 40-yard run by Billie Gene Drawe, last year's captain, gave the seniors their tally in the second period. Dalton, hard plunging captain of the 1940 aggregation, scored for the Tigers during the final period. The game was played under the auspices of the Mercedes "M" Club.

With a nucleus of only five lettermen around which to build his this year's team, Coach Schmalzried is reserving all predictions for the next season until next fall. However, a number of new recruits have developed satisfactorily during the spring practice.

The quintet of lettermen who will be back in the Tiger line-up this fall are: Dalton, fullback and captain; Adame, all-Valley tackle and co-captain; Duane Shelton, guard; Dick Schmalzried, tackle and Billie Seibert, left end.

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MISSIONS 7; SPORTS 1

SHREVEPORT, La. —(AP)— Long distance hits—three home runs and three triples crowded in with a pair of singles, two solten bases, and an error in the sixth and seventh innings—carried San Antonio's Missions to a 7-1 victory over Shreveport's Sports Saturday night.

San Antonio	AB	R	H	Shreveport	AB	R	H

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Miss Virginia Hamner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hamner of Hempstead, Texas, is pictured above in the wedding dress she will wear for her marriage Sunday at eight o'clock to George William Wehrung III of Houston. The simple marriage rites will be performed in the First Methodist Church with a large number of friends as guests.

Church Rites To Be Read Early Sunday

HARLINGEN—In the First Methodist Church at eight o'clock this morning, marriage lines will be read for Miss Virginia Hamner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hamner of Hempstead, Texas, formerly of Raymondville, and George William Wehrung III of Houston. The Rev. Bolton Boone, pastor, will officiate.

All white blossoms are used in the simple decoration of the church. To make a background for the bridal party large white urns holding tall spikes of white gladiolas have been placed with floor candelabra on either side holding cathedral tapers. Back of the organ is a seven-branched candelabrum with additional white tapers to be lighted just before the ceremony. White candytuft studded in the fern entwining the altar rail completes decoration of the front spaces of the church.

Miss Virginia Perry will be at the organ for the wedding music. She will play "Liebestraum" as a solo and will accompany Miss Ivy Catherine Boone who is to sing "'I Love You Truly" and "Sweet Mystery of Life." The traditional "Bridal Chorus" from Wagner's "Lohengrin" will be given for processional and Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" for recessional.

As the couple speak their vows the muted strains of Gounod's "Ave Maria" will make a musical obligato.

The bride is to enter with her brother, Joe Ed Hamner of Hempstead, who will give her in marriage.

Her bridal dress, in traditional white net is quaintly old-fashioned in design. The leg-o'-mutton sleeves are puffed to above the elbow and fitted closely over the lower arm, to end in a point over the wrists. Widest part of the sleeves is inset

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Lady-in-waiting to Miss Louise Hill during San Antonio's colorful Fiesta de San Jacinto was Miss Betty Dean who is pictured above in her court gown, sequin trimmed and a delicate shade of green. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Barnett of Harlingen and a student at Incarnate word Academy in San Antonio.



Wearing the lovely costume in which she was presented as Duchess of the Rio Grande Valley at the Court of the Old South during the Battle of Flowers in San Antonio last weekend, Miss Louise Hill, (presented above, makes a glamorous picture. Her gown was fashoned of heavy gold satin lavishly trimmed with rhinestones and with wide lace outlining the wide panniers posed over hoop skirts and the sweeping train. Miss Hill is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hill of Harlingen.

Engagement of Miss Mary Jane Groom (pictured upper right), only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Groom of Brownsville, to Olin Coleman Jones Jr., of Brownsville and Fort Worth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jones Sr. of Fort Worth, was announced at a pretty tea of which Mrs. Groom was hostess Thursday. The wedding will be celebrated Monday, May 27, at eight o'clock in the Central Christian Church in Brownsville.) (For Story see page two)

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey H. Dunlap of La Feria announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their only daughter, Mary Jo, (in center picture above) to Ernest L. Young of Berkeley, Calif. The ceremony will take place June 6, 1940 in Berkeley. Miss Bailey, a graduate of La Feria high school, received her degree from the University of Texas and also attended the University of California She is a member of Chi Omega sorority. Mr. Young, a graduate of the University of California, is a member of Beta Alpha Psi, an honorary accounting fraternity. The couple will reside in Berkeley.

Miss Mary Jane Groom's Approaching Marriage To O. C. Jones Revealed

BROWNSVILLE — At an especially pretty party featuring a color theme of pink and white, the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Mary Jane Groom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Groom, to Olin Coleman ones, of Fort Worth and Brownsville, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jones, Sr., of Fort Worth, was announced.

Mrs. Groom was hostess at tea at her home between the hours of five and seven o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Guests were greeted at the door by Miss Margaret Weinert, pretty in a frock of crushed azalea pink net, with trim of fuchsia velvet.

Receiving were Mrs. Groom, in black taffeta with dots of golden satin; Miss Groom, in a becoming gown of ice blue satin, worn with a jacket of dull silvercloth; Miss Nannie Bourne, in white lace; and Mrs. J. M. George in American Beauty chiffon.

About the home, the color theme of pink and white had been developed prettily through the use of white lilies and pink roses. The flowers were in graceful arrangement about the reception suite, and pink and white, and pink tapers were used in profusion, too, in many-branched candelabra and in floor candelabra.

Miss Inez Brulay, in a summery frock of yellow organdy embroidered in white, presented each guest with a miniature corsage of sweetheart roses tied with pink and blue ribbons. Attached with ribbons to the corsage was the small card with the engraved announcement: "May 27th Mary Jane-Oli .."

Presiding at the guest book alternately were Miss Jeanine Wortman, in peach colored chiffon with shirred jacket and Miss Mary Warren, in black dotted Swiss with white dots.

Others assisting about the room were Mrs. W. A. Velten, in black chiffon; Mrs. Milton H. West, in deep rose moire; Mrs. E. E. Dickason, in black crepe; Mrs. G. N. Bogel, in a figured foulard; Mrs. R. Roy Rutt, and Mrs. W. H. Meredith.

In the dining room, the tea table, centered with an arrangement of pink rosebuds, blue stock, and baby's breath in a silver bowl, was laid with a handsome cloth of Italian cutwork. On the buffet was another arrangement of the chosen blossoms, flanked by six-branched candelabra holding pink tapers.

Presiding at the table during alternate hours were Mrs. H. G. H. Weinert, in a shortwaist frock of white dotted Swiss, with skirt of crepe; and Mrs. E. W. McCollum, whose blue flowered dress was of dotted Swiss.

Assisting in the dining room were Miss Laura Underwood whose frock was of pale pink net and lace; Mrs. J. P. Williamson in black crepe with a jacket of white eyelet embroidery; Mrs. R. M. Warren, in navy blue and white chiffon with a jacket of white; Mrs. W. B. Sudlow, in a sheer cotton flowered print, with lingerie trim; Mrs. James I. George, in black crepe with jacket of sand colored silk pique; and Mrs. Mike Groom, of McAllen, in a flowered foulard worn with a jacket of scarlet.

About 150 guests called during the designated hours.

Both Miss Groom and her fiance were graduated from Texas Christian University where they received B. A. degrees and both are teachers in the Brownsville school system.

The wedding will be celebrated at 8 o'clock in the evening in the Central Christian church Monday, May 27.

LOCAL WEDDING RITES SUNDAY

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with a band of finely tucked net bordered with lace and similar bands finish the upper portion of the bodice forming a yoke reaching to the shoulders. The gored skirt sweeps into rippling fullness from the hips, more than half its length being layered with tiers of ruffled net which extend in the back to form a train.

Her veil of illusion, wrist length, is adjusted at the head halo fashion, one fold being worn over the face. A matching necklace and bracelet of gold, worn by her grandmother, are to be her only ornaments.

The bridal bouquet is of white gladiolas and sweetheart roses arranged into a colonial design bordered with white maline, while individual roses are knotted in the streamers of the maline.

Miss Mahalah Hamner, the bride's only sister, is to be her sole attendant. Her costume is dusty pink net worn over taffeta.

The waist is tucked and finished with a round collar and the sleeves puffed and full. Five tiers of ruffles border the wide skirt. Her close fitting pink hat is worn with pink veil and has blue flower trim and her flowers are clustered into an old-fashioned nosegay of talisman roses and blue cornflowers.

Miss Perry's costume is navy and her corsage of white gladiolas with pink roses caught in the flower throats. Miss Boone is wearing a costume of green lace with a corsage of pink roses.

Best man for Mr. Wehrung is T. D. Bush of Houston.

Ushers are Findley Hamner, Hempstead, brother of the bride, Winston Hall, Lloyd Allen and Haskell Cook.

Immediately after the ceremony a wedding breakfast, with only members of the bridal party and of the immediate families as guests, will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Newton A. Spilman. Flowers and other appointments denote a color theme of gold and white.

Talisman roses and gold statice in a crystal container center the table which is laid with hand crocheted lace. Matching double candelabra of crystal hold lighted white tapers. Miss Mahalah Hamner is to preside over the serving of the bride's cake, which is three-tiered and all-white decorated with gold, and Miss Lillian McInnis is to have charge of the coffee service. Presiding over the bride's book will be Miss Betty Wehrung, sister of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Hamner, mother of the bride, is wearing soft blue crepe with white collar and the mother of the bridegroom, Mrs. G. W. Wehrung Jr. of Houston, has chosen Alice blue crepe with white accessories. Each is wearing a corsage of white gladiolas.

Miss Hamner has selected for her going away dress a two-piece original model in dusty pink silk crepe, distinguished by a wide necklace of strands of amber beads. Her hat is in a powder blue shade and her accessories white.

Since announcement of her engagement a few weeks ago, Miss Hamner has been honoree for a lengthy series of prenuptial courtesies. She is immediate past president of Alpha Theta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi.

After a wedding trip the couple will establish a home in Houston.

Out of town guests for the wedding include the bride's mother, Mrs. R. E. Hamner, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hamner, and Findley Hamner of Hempstead; Mrs. J. S. Blasingame of Houston; Miss Lois Simpson, San Antonio; Norman Fritze, San Antonio; Miss Leah Maud Brown, Corpus Christi; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wehrung, Jr.; Miss Betty Wehrung and T. D. Bush of Houston.

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Miss Romer Named Shower Honoree

SAN JUAN—Miss Edith Catherine Romer, whose engagement and approaching marriage to Ivo Richard Schoppe of Donna was announced recently at a tea given by her mother, Mrs. G. W. Romer, was honored with a bridal shower and bridge party Wednesday at the home of Mrs. U. J. Boehnke with Mrs. J. Lee Stambaugh, Mrs. H. S. Dean, Mrs. L. A. Shaffstall, Mrs. John Jacobs of Alamo and Mrs. Boehnke as co-hostesses.

The dessert course carried out the pink and white color scheme of the party as each table was decorated with pink rose buds and the gifts were wrapped in white cellophane paper tied with pink ribbon and a tiny pink artificial flower graced the lovely packages. In the games of bridge Mrs. J. Randall Hensley won high score and Miss Romer was given a guest prize.

Those present were the guest of honor and Mesdames Romer, Patrick Sullivan, Harry Bigger, T. E. Thompson D. W. Cummings, Lee M. Green, Walter F. Good, Clark Mellenbruck, Burl Stugard, L. F. Kruse, J. Randall Hensley, H. D. Munal, Arthur Reichert, J. L. Stone, Charles Starlin, Ernest Barth of Weslaco and Vernon Sutphen of Donna.

A lovely crystal shower was held for Miss Edith Catherine Romer Wednesday night May 1st, at the home of Mrs. William Morstrom. The living room was decorated with white lilies, roses, pink and blue larkspur. As each guest arrived she was presented with a tiny May Basket filled with flowers which formed a corsage.

During the evening the guests played bridge and high prize was awarded to Mrs. T. W. Gress, consolation prize to Miss Gertrude Kunze and traveling prize to Miss Frances Hicks there were to the honoree.

At the conclusion of the evening there was a knock at the door and when opened a large pink and white May Basket filled with beautiful gifts had been placed there for the bride-elect.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Bryan Harris, Carl Scott, J. P. Lampert, G. W. Romer, W. G. Morstrom, Misses Edith Catherine and Anna Mae Romer, Helen Bell, Hicks, San Juan, Mesdames T. W. Gries, Howard Faulkner, Misses Jewell Leathers and Mary Kathryn Kelly, McAllen, Miss Kunze, Sharyland, Miss Dru Harwell, Donna, Mrs. H. N. Browning and Miss Evelyn Morin of Alamo.

Hobby Group Entertained

HARLINGEN—A delightful May Day luncheon was enjoyed by the Hobby Group Wednesday when Mrs. Tom Bowman was hostess. Baskets of spring flowers and bowls of roses were arranged. Each guest received a May basket of flowers.

Yellow predominated in the home decoration and table appointments.

In a clever quiz game, awards went to Mrs. Richard Clift and Mrs. George Wroten, both guests. A recipe shower was staged honoring the hostess.

A piano solo by Betty Sanders and an accordion selection by Thecla Grapperhaus were enjoyed.

Two new members, Mrs. T. C. Hamilton and Mrs. E. H. Moody, were received.

Assisting Mrs. Bowman in hostess duties were Mrs. . D. Wass and Mrs. R. T. Sanders.

Present in addition to those named above were Mesdames W. H. Hall, Nina Mohr, J. T. Wass, J. B. Lankford, J. B. Bradford, Jack Summer, and H. M. Dunaway, members, and Mrs. J. T. Sanders, a guest.

Plans were made for a hobby garden party and tea May 15 from 2 to 5 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. H. Hall on Dilworth Road.

South O'Harlingen Club Holds Meeting

HARLINGEN — The South O'Harlingen Home Demonstration club met at the Fairpark Friday evening with Mrs. T. J. Wardlow and Mrs. W. M. Smith as hostesses. The members came attired as school girls and answered roll call by reciting nursery rhymes.

On the motion of Mrs. W. M. Smith, the club voted to make a donation to the Pennybacker Cancer Memorial.

Plans were made for the encampment exhibit.

Refreshments in the form of a school lunch were served to 14 members.

Calendar

HARLINGEN

MONDAY

3:30 p. m. Stephens F. Austin P.-T. A. meets at the school.

8 p. m. Harlingen B. P. W. Club has annual meeting at the Nancy Tea House.

5 p. m. Regular meeting of Harlingen Rainbow Assembly at Masonic Hall.

8 p. m. Harlingen Rainbow Assembly will honor Eastern Stars and Masons with program in Masonic Hall.

12:15 noon Luncheon meeting of Republican Women's club of Cameron County in Green Room at Madison Hotel.

3:15 p. m. James Bowie P.-T. A. meets at the school for installation of officers; executive board meets

3:30 p. m. Austin P.-T. A. meets at the school.

TUESDAY

9:30 a. m. Executive board of Presbyterian Auxiliary meets at the home of Mrs. A. M. Letzerich.

9:30 a. m. Summer Roundup sponsored by Harlingen City Council P.-T. A. for pre-school children opens at First Christian Church.

7:30 p. m. V. F. W. Auxiliary meets at K. C. Hall.

12 noon, St. Alban's Guild meets at the Parish house for a covered dish luncheon.

2:30 p. m. St. Ann's Guild meets at the Knights of Columbus Hall.

3 p. m. Methodist Women's Society of Chirstian Service meets in circles as follows: one with Mrs. Jimmy Fankhauser, 1110 South H Street; two at the church; three with Mrs. C. E. Thompson, 115 W. Washington; four with Mrs. W. M. Driskill on West State highway; five, with Mrs. J. O. Hardy, Combes highway; six, with Mrs. J. G. Brittain, Rio Hondo Road.

7:45 p. m. Farmers Community meeting at the Stuart Place schoolhouse.

WEDNESDAY

3 p. m. Fine Arts Club meets at the Women's Building.

3:15 p. m. Child Study Club meets at the home of Mrs. Glen Schuepbach.

THURSDAY

3 p. m. Harlingen Study Club and Music Lovers meet at Woman's Building for program on music and poetry.

2:30 p. m. Stuart Place Home Demonstration club meets at the home of Mrs. J. W. Mayfield.

FRIDAY

11 a. m. Valley Garden Council meets in Donna.

Mrs. Davis Is Hostess

BROWNSVILLE—Mrs. Frank L. Davis was hostess at the first in a series of dessert bridge parties when she entertanied very charmingly at her home in Los Ebanos Friday afternoon.

For the games, a spring-like setting had been achieved through the use of pink gladioli and roses, purple iris, and Easter lilies in artistic combination.

At the close of play, Mrs. Milton B. Wentz was presented the high score award, and Mrs. Sam Perl, the second high award. The traveling prize went to Mrs. R. A. Porter.

Four tables of players assembled for the games.

Goodriches Home

BROWNSVILLE—Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Goodrich have returned to their home in Mexico City, from a visit in New York City. They made the return trip by boat.

Party Series For Graduates Is Continued

Saturday Filled With Courtesies

SAN BENITO — A swim and breakfast was the delightful compliment of Saturday morning arranged to honor a quartet of graduates, Misses Eleanor Thompson, Madelyn Valentine, Robbie Weatherly, and Blanch Gilbert. Hostesses were Mesdames J. Roy Taft, J. E. Thompson, L. M. Weatherly, R. L. Valentine, and I. R Gilbert.

Swimming at the Rotary pool was followed by breakfast at the home of Mrs. Taft. The table was laid with white and centered with a bowl of red and white flowers. Spring blooms were arranged about the rooms.

Breakfast was served on fiestaware pottery. The placecards, written in red ink, revealed characteristics of each guest and a gift marked each cover.

Guests were Betty Mae Smith, Frances Phillips, Peggy Wilmeth, Jean Brady, Doris Heidland, Dorothy Dodds, Lois Lovett, Virginia Wartick, Marie Ann Horkman, Martha Plahn, Evelyn Kennamer, Sadie Lu Davidson, Joyce Littlepage, and Mrs. Anna Bell Buchanan, senior class sponsor.

Mrs. Murray Higgins was hostess Saturday for a luncheon given at Landrum's in Brownsville. Honorees for the gay affair were Misses Dorothy Dodds, Doris Ogden, Jean Brady, and Sadie Lu Davidson, all members of the high school graduating class.

The Mexican motif was stressed with orange and yellow flowers. Favors were red lipstick napkins with corsages.

After the luncheon games of bridge were enjoyed. In the group were Jean Stone, Brownsville, Blanch Gilbert, Frances Phillips, Peggy Wilmeth, Katherine Roberts, Betty Bohner, Lois Lovett Madelyn Valentine, Robbie Weatherly, Doris Heidland, Martha Phahn, Betty Higgins, and Mrs. S. S. Dodds.

Rainbow Girls Will Honor Masons, Stars At Monday Meeting

HARLINGEN — Harlingen Assembly of the Order of the Rainbow will entertain the Harlingen O. E. S. Chapter and Masonic Lodge Monday evening at a called meeting at 8 o'clock in the Masonic Hall. The girls will put on an initiation ceremony for their guests and will also present a pleasing program of music.

Mrs. Hugh Ramsey and Mrs. W. O. Liston will serve at the tea table after the program.

Annual Spring Dinner Set Monday At Parish House

BROWNSVILLE — The annual spring dinner is being sponsored by the Women's Auxiliary for the Church of the Advent (Episcopal) Monday evening at the parish house. Serving will be from six to eight o'clock.

Mrs. E. M. Dierlam, chairman of the committee in charge, has announced that the menu will include baked ham, vegetables, salad, buttered biscuit and dessert.

Wedding Set For June 1



Mrs. Ivy Edrington of Brownsville, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Dodson of San Benito, will become the bride of Glenn H. Dye of Salamanca, New York, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris M. Dye also of New York, in a simple ceremony to be read June 1 in New York. The marriage is of interest as the bride-elect is a life-long resident of the Valley, and Mr. Dye formerly resided in La Feria.

O.E.S. Officers Guests Of Honor For Picnic Supper

HARLINGEN — Among the early picnic events heralding the coming of summer was the supper given by the Past Matrons Club Friday evening in Fairpark honoring the present officers of the Harlingen chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star The bountiful picnic repast was enjoyed by about 35.

Annual Banquet Set Wednesday

BROWNSVILLE—Annual Mother-Daughter banquet will be sponsored Wednesday at 7 p. m. at the First Presbyterian church.

Tickets for the banquet, to which mothers and daughters are invited, are selling for 35 cents.

Sister Guest Of Mrs. Ford

HARLINGEN—A breakfast at the Reese-Wil-Mond Thursday was arranged by Mrs. Marvin P. Ford to honor her sister, Miss Benja Sides of Dallas. Miss Sides, who has been attending Texas College for Women at Denton, left Saturday with her sister and Mr. Ford on a vacation jaunt in Mexico. She will be their guest for several days after their return.

Seated for the breakfast with the honoree and hostess were Mrs. N. A. Timmins, Miss Marie King, Mrs. Casey Jones, Miss Beulah Lippincott, San Benito and Mrs. Phillip Brady, San Benito.

Roses formed the table centerpiece.

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Mrs. Ingram Entertained At Bridge

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. Neil Allen entertained very delightfully Thursday afternoon at her home honoring Mrs. Joe Ingram who departs Sunday for her new home in Little Rock, Arkansas.

The reception rooms of the home were bright with spring flowers. About twenty guests gathered for the games.

At the close of play, Mrs. Boscom Cox was awarded the high score prize, and Mrs. E. M. Dierlam the bingo prize. Low score award went to Mrs. Howard L. Cummins. The hostess presented Mrs. Ingram and Mrs. K. E Shire of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, with pretty remembrances.

Mrs. Joe Ingram was named honoree again when Mrs. J. M. Stein entertained a few of Mrs. Ingram's intimate friends informally at luncheon Wednesday at her home.

Valley Hotel News

Worth Heffner, new chamber of commerce secretary, moved into the air-conditioned Madison the other day until the Missus comes down from Oklahoma. 'It's nice having you around, Worth.'

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Eli Smith, broker recently hospitalized has returned to his home in the Madison Hotel. Eli was a pretty sick boy for a while. He sure did have a pretty nurse (and many callers).

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Tracy Evans, of the Madison Hotel left Friday to undergo treatment for sinus trouble. Our sympathy to Tracy. We know how it feels.

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The Boggus' moved out of the Madison Hotel Friday into their new, beautiful home. We'll miss the Boggus'—but they promised to come down and see us occasionally.

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The Spanish War Veterans had a dinner in the air-conditioned "Green Room" at the Madison Monday evening. The Green Room was reputed to be the Valley's only air-conditioned ballroom until just recently when the Cortez turned its new system on and served the Junior-Senior Banquet in Weslaco. The banquet was a beautiful sight to see. The Cortez Hotel literally overflowed with flowers and the tables were beautifully dressed. Orchids to Bill LaFon, genial manager of the Cortez Hotel in Weslaco.

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Friends of "Al" diminutive waiter in the Cabana, will be happy to know that the auto accident he was in, left little ill-effects. Al, and his smile are back on the job.

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A recent visitor at the Cortez Hotel coffee shop remarked that the food was not alone good—but that the service left nothing to be desired—which made everyone at the Cortez very happy. Said visitor was our good friend — Captain Hamm of the Texas Rangers.

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The Arizonians, harmony trio appearing nightly at the Cabana in the Madison Hotel, have volunteered to play during the street demonstration given for the milk benefit for underprivileged children.

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Work has started on the construction of Montys' new drug store in the Madison Hotel.

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A salesman who stays at the Madison Hotel was overheard while seated in the Madison air-conditioned Madison Coffee Shop. "I really looked forward to getting out of the heat and into this place." And really, it's amazing the number of people who have discovered how cool and comfortable it always is in the Madison coffee shop.

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George Crum from Junkin's got to talking pipes with E. Neel Loeb, comptroller for the Goodman Hotels of Texas and before it was all over, there was some pipe swapping going on and George went home with a couple of new additions to his collection.

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Nick, the pet bob cat of the Cortez Hotel who recently broke his leg in a fall through the elevator shaft of the hotel has been growing so fast, the cast he has been wearing had to be taken off to give Nick 'growing room.' Nick is a little weak on that ill-fated foot, but convalescing very nicely. There are many wagers being made as to the temperament of Nick, the bobcat—when he grows up. We all hope for the best.

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Sherry Johns, formerly of the Madison Hotel staff is now connected with the Commercial Credit Company and doing very nicely we are informed. Much luck to Sherry.

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There are some couples in town that just keep staying in love and never getting married. Tsk. Tsk. What will the world come to.

This 'N' That

By Minnie Gilbert

MUSIC WEEK, Mother's Day Commencement, and then, of course, June weddings point to the busiest time of the year, except Christmas, for most Valley homes.

May graduates are maintaining a pretty definite lead over June brides in the number of parties to their credit as of even date.

Usually at this time of year the honors are pretty well divided, but large weddings have been less frequent this year than the past few seasons.

Which makes one wonder if the modern girl takes the Leap Year legend with some seriousness after all.

MUSIC WEEK plans this year are highlighted by announcements of one or possibly two exceptionally good programs in each Valley town.

The old idea that Music Week should be commemorated by at least one musical program for the public every day is, fortunately, passing.

Sponsors are leaning to the opinion that quality rather than quality should be their objective and directing their efforts toward one or two outstanding concerts.

HARLINGEN's main contribution will be Haydn's oratorio, "The Creation" to be sung by the Methodist choir in the Methodist church Sunday evening, the group of singers being augmented by the choral unit of the Music Lovers Club of Harlingen.

A little known fact regarding Music Week is that David L. Ormesher, director for the oratorio, assisted as director in the first observance of Music Week which was held in Dallas a number of years ago.

SAN BENITO members of the choral group of the music club have chosen to present a concert of Indian love songs, all compositions by Thurlow Lieurance. Mrs. H. V. Gordon is director.

The San Benito performance will be in the Methodist Church Monday at 8 p.m.

The La Feria Music Club, assisted by the various church choirs, will present "Esther," a sacred cantata, Sunday evening at 7:45 in the high school auditorium.

Other programs have been scheduled in these and other Valley towns for Music Week but definite plans had not been made known at this writing.

A tremendous amount of effort and time goes into the presentation of one musical program and the performers merit good audiences.

THE MEN TAKE an important part in the Weslaco Music Club which meets at night, one of the reasons, no doubt, why Weslacoans claim their town is the music center of the Valley.

Luther Hughes is the newly elected president, succeeding Mrs. W. F. Keeney.

AND AT LOS FRESNOS men frequently participate in evening meetings of the Garden Club, even to presenting the programs.

They're committed to carrying out a joint project with the women club members during the summer.

AND AT LEAST three of the active artists in the Rio Grande Valley Art League are men.

FIRST CEREUS blossom for 1940, so far as we have observed, opened April 23.

It must have been a test bloom or something of the sort for no others have yet appeared on the cactus that was fairly well sheltered from last winter's cold.

Folks who visited the cereus-infested brush in East Cameron County in the early Spring report the cactus stalks were crumpled into pulp almost and there probably would be few blossoms this summer.

However, new shoots have grown rapidly on cereus in town gardens and it's our notion that the chaparral thickets will be dotted with the flowers about next full moon.

ANACUITA TREES or shrubs are back to normal now and, unless moisture is lacking, well loaded with fragile white blossoms.

The anacuitas bloom about 10 months in the year and are resistent to drought.

But the transplanted trees blossom much more abundantly if given a fair amount of water, while those in the brush bloom anyway.

It seems to be just one of those things.

But anacuitas, as well as retamas, huisaches, laurel, and ebony, should be investigated if you're planning flowering native trees for your yard.

ONE OF THE most consistently attractive beauty spots in the Valley's commercial district this spring has been the rose beds on the Missouri Pacific right of way in Harlingen.

Scores of roses in bloom make a spectacle that is enjoyed by hundreds of passers-by daily.

THIS SEASON Valley hostesses are making use of cactus in decorating for entertainment in their home and in for large affairs given by clubs and other groups.

Hitherto, the prickly pear blossoms were seldom taken from their thorny pads.

But Valley women are becoming increasingly adept in flower arrangement and discovering possibilities previously unnoticed.

Cactus blossoms are prettiest if cut in the morning before the blossoms have begun to unfold.

Individual blossoms will open at different times giving an especially attractive effect.

Best results are usually obtained by leaving the blossom attached to at least a part of the leaf on which it is growing instead of removing just the blossom and the pear which forms its base.

Cactus blossoms last only a day outdoors but some buds gathered early one morning will remain opened until noon of the next day inside.

Yellow blooms do not change to orange and orange to red as many still believe.

However, in the late afternoon the orange color becomes rosier as the outside leaves start closing.

And some pears in the brush do appear to bear blossoms in several shades of red.

This probably is due to variation in soil, since pads from a plant bearing vivid red blooms in sandy Willacy county bore orange blooms after being transplanted in clay soil in Cameron county.

Heads Girl Reserves



Miss Winifred Raymond is the re-elected president of the Raymondville Girl Reserves She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burleson Raymond, and the grand daughter of Edward Burleson Raymond, pioneer owner of the land of which the town of Raymondville now stands and for whom the town was named. Winifred is a Junior in High school. (Photo by Holbrook)

Hospitality In Weslaco Attractive

WESLACO—One of the prettiest of outdoor courtesies was given on the attractive lawn bordered with colorful larkspur Thursday night when Mrs. O. Randolph Scott was hostess to the faculty of the Christian Church Sunday school, with the pastor and wife, Rev. and Mrs. Carr as special guests.

Mrs. Paul Shary gave a most interesting book review of "I Dare You" and Dick Norton, superintendent, presided during the business routine.

Superintendent and Mrs. Norton and Mrs. Ferris Wells with 20 faculty members were served frozen peach cake and iced tea.

The annual get-together of the faculty of the North Ward school was a banquet Wednesday night at the city hall.

Participating were Principal O. R. Scott and Mrs. Scott, Superintendent and Mrs. C. B. Cooper, Misses Grace Morrison, Ruth Reed, Marjory Dawe, Grace Richeson, Myrl Fawcett, Mrs. Ollie Westbrook, Mr. Westbrook, Mrs. Chester Martin, Mrs. and Mr. Milton Weaver, Mrs. Emerson, Mrs. Boutwell, Mrs. Wortham, Mrs. Hazel Blackwell, Mrs. A. P. Miller and Mr. Miller, Mrs. Fred Kay, Mrs. Catherine Martin and Mrs. J. E. Lovett.

Unusual Annual Banquet Represents Sailing Ship

SHARYLAND — Sharyland high school seniors cruised on the good ship "The Merry Gang," as guests of the junior class "crew" Friday evening when the annual junior-senior banquet was held at the First Methodist Church in Mission. Forty members of the two classes and special guests were members of the "sailing party."

Ships' wheels on which the ship's name was inscribed stood upright to form the centerpieces along the length of the banquet tables to introduce the keynote of the event. Old manuscript writing on the programs told the "log" of the cruise. Treasure chests were inscribed with names of the ship's company and with travel stickers, to form the nut cups which were favors.

Paul Schmidt was the captain who acted as master of ceremonies. Leon H. Brown, Mission, gave the address of the evening, which the program termed "Old Ship's Tales." Other program numbers were:

Calling Mates Aboard, Irene Bokor; Shipmates' Response, Donald Heizer; All Hands on Deck, the class history, Ruth Bremer; Anchor's Aweigh, song by both classes; Tribute to an Old Boat, class poem, Geraldine Kennedy; On the Good Ship Lollipop, vocal solo by Irene Bokor, accompanied by Mrs. Elmer Bentsen; Cablegram, class prophecy, Leland Anderson; End of the Cruise, class will, Lois Wilson. A concluding feature was the group of guitar and mandolin selections presented by Geraldine and Bob Kennedy.

Old Spanish galleons marked places for the seniors: Claudine Kennedy, Robert Longwell, Eugenia Turner, Ruth Bremer, Horton Smith, Wallace Anderson, Ruby Bremer, Maxine Billman, Eilleen Anderson, Lois Wilson, Donald Heizer, Leland Anderson, Melvin Schoening, Edwin Bormann, Geraldine Kennedy, Elmo Killian, Edelmiro Garza, Walter Hatley, Wayne Giese, Betty Jo Carlile, and Marvin Hewitt.

The juniors: Sybil Jean Craig, Garet Crist, Jeanne Rightor, Billy Jane Wolfrum, Irene Bokor, Paul Schmidt, B. Kennedy, and Robert Bentsen. The faculty: Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Smith, Miss Sunshine Bozeman, Miss Louise Lane, Miss Victor Searcy, Mrs. Freddie Saunders, Charles Porter. The special guests: Mr. and Mrs. Brown, and Mrs. Bentsen.

Two Are Hostesses To Dunkers Club For Bunco Party

HARLINGEN—Especially delightful was the bunco party given for members of the Dunkers Club Thursday night at the Matz home on the Combes highway. Hostesses were Misses Mona Matz and Teenie Bothwell.

Guests were seated for games at tables placed in the large lighted garage. High score went to Mrs. Mary Frances Gamble and Mrs. Carolyn Cameron received the trophy for low.

Refreshments were served to Misses Bernice Prenzler, Frances Payne, Yetieve Dubose, Evelyn Dill, Gladys Wallace and Edna Belle Farrar and Mesdames Mary Frances Gamble, Carolyn Cameron, Vassar Matz, Emmie Matz, Bill Winters, Katie Henderson, E. O. Matz, Alice Strong and Malinda Hirsch, San Benito, and two daughters, Dorothy and Juanita.

Spring Event In Weslaco Is Delightful

WESLACO--Among the delightful spring parties was the pretty luncheon bridge at which Mrs. Newell Waters was hostess Thursday honoring out of club guests and members of her Thursday club at her lovely country home.

Gorgeous bouquets of red and white roses were placed throughout the living room and dining room, and cactus added an unusual decorative effect on the spacious porch.

The dining table from which the delicious luncheon was served was beautifully laid with an exquisite lace cover, and white tapers in silver shed a mellow glow to the arrangement of roses centering the table, and adding to the gleaming silver service.

Enjoying the courtesy were Mrs. E. L. McCalip, a luncheon guest, and Mesdames Fred Turner, Mrs. C. L. Skaggs, Hill Cox of Harlingen, Charles Sherrill, Harry Solether, Phil Dixon, W. F. Powell, W. H. Baxter, Jr., Willoughby Gundry, E. C. Christensen and Everett Knapp.

At the close of games Mrs. Harry Solether was winner of the score award.

Final Meet Held

LOS FRESNOS—The final meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association was held in the high school auditorium on Wednesday afternoon. The well known song "Our Valley Home" was sung to open the meeting.

The resignation of Mrs. G. C. Greer as president was accepted and Mrs. A. J. Schaffer was elected to fill the vacancy.

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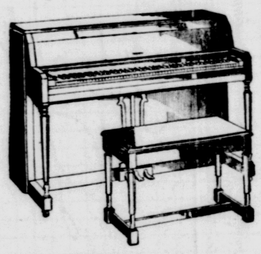


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Music Week Observance In Valley Opens Today

Widespread Interest Indicated In Plans For Music Week Events

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Music Week is being awaited with particular interest by the general public, sponsors for programs in various Valley towns have reported. Inquiries regarding plans for concerts and requests for assisting in arranging music as a part of Music Week observance are quite numerous, officers of music clubs and other groups have announced.

Oratorio Scheduled

HARLINGEN—In observnce of National Music Week the First Methodist Choir, assisted by the Music Lovers Club, will present "The Creation" by Joseph Haydn in the church auditorium Sunday at 8 p.m. David L. Ormesher is director.



DAVID L. ORMESHER

The dramatic story, told in song, is based upon the book of Genesis. The solos, choruses, and accompaniment describe order and beauty emerging from chaos as the oratorio opens; then the creation of the earth, sky, and light; and at last the fields, flowers, and living beings.

Miss Margaret McCandless, San Benito, is soprano soloist, having the role of Gabriel. Beauty of nature is particularly outstanding in her interpretation of "With Verdure Clad" and "On Mighty Pens."

The part of Uriel is song by Grady Whittle, Lyford, tenor, and Raphael, by Paul Lindhorn of Brownsville, bass

Accompanists are Miss Virginia Perry, organist, and Mrs. Verda Wheeler, pianist.

Requirements for presenting "The Creation" are comparable to Handel's "Messiah" and music critics from many sections of the Valley are expected to be in the audience Sunday night. Persons expecting to attend are requested to arrive before the hour for opening the oratorio.

Fine Arts Program

Commemorating National Music Week the Harlingen Study Club and the Music Lovers Club will present a program Thursday at 3:30 p.m. at the Woman's Building. Regular meeting of the Study Club will be held at 3 p.m. The program, scheduled for 3:30 p.m., will be as follows:

Two pianos: "Coronation Scene" from Opera "Boris Godounoff" by Moussorgsky, Mrs. C. A. Washmon and Mrs. H. J. Adamson.

Vocal solo: "Moon Marketing" by Weaver, Mrs. Vance Oheme; accompanist, Mrs. A. M. Jones.

Piano solo: "Grande Valse Brilliante" by Chopin, Mrs. W. J. Williams.

Vocal trio "To A Wild Rose," by Edvard McDowell, Mrs. P. G. King, Miss Mary Elizabeth Challes, and Mrs. Jack Grim; accompanist, Mrs. Charles Washmon.

The Study Club presents Mrs. Alex Gerry of Weslaco, reading her favorite poems.

Vocal solo (a) "Ah Che La Morte Ognora" from "Il Trovatore" by Verdi, (b) "By the Bend of the River" by Clara Edwards, Mrs. I. G. Fox; accompanist, Mrs. C. H. Washmon.

Piano solo, Rondo, "The Rage Over the Lost Penny" by Beethoven, Mrs. L. L. Wheeler.

Mrs. Washmon will give a short talk on International Music followed by Becca von Kreveld Detert in Dutch costume, singing a group of Dutch songs, and Mrs. Elmer Johnson in Swedish costume, singing a group of Swedish songs. Both will be accompanied by Mrs. L. M. Vigness of La Feria.

Daily Program Set In Mission

MISSION—A well-rounded program in which religious, educational and civic organizations will join is planned for the Mission observance of National Music Week, May 5-12, it was announced this week by Mrs. Arnold J. Shary, chairman of the observance sponsored by the Mission Music Club. Musical events have been planned for each day of the week, either as a separate program or in correlation with services or programs of the participating organizations.

Music Week will be stressed in special music at church services Sunday morning and Sunday at the South Mission Methodist Church. The week will be observed Monday at the Rotary Club luncheon; Tuesday with a Fine Arts program presented by the high school music department; Wednesday at the Lions Club; Thursday at church women's organization meetings: Friday with a high school assembly program and Saturday with a band concert at Strahle Park at 7:30 p.m.

Sunday morning at the First Presbyterian Church, Miss Doris Jean Ewing of Pharr and Mission will be the guest soloist and the choir will present an anthem, "The Lord Is My Shepherd," by Ashford, directed by Mrs. T. E. Wiedemann. At the Frist Christian Church, the congregation will read responsively the Texas Federation of Music Clubs Collect and an anthem, "Great Is Jehovah," arranged by Gabriel, will be presented by the choir under the direction of Mrs. A. J. Whittlesey.

Mrs. Joe Stead will direct the choir of the First Metnodist Church when the anthem, "Seek Ye the Lord" by Roberts, will be presented. The tenor part featured in the anthem will be sung by Tommy McKinnon. S. L. Turner, choir director of the First Baptist Church, will direct the presentation of special numbers to accent the observance at that church.

Mrs. Adolfo de la Garza, choir director of the South Mission Methodist Church, announced the observance at that church will center on a piano solo to be presented by Miss Carmen de la Garza and other selected numbers, at the evening services at 7:30 p.m.

Two special numbers will be presented by the Mission Choral Club, directed by Mrs. Wiedemann, at the luncheon programs of the Rotary and Lions Clubs, Monday and Wednesday, respectively. The numbers chosen are "The Rosary" by Nevins and "The Bells of St. Mary's," arranged by Adams.

The awards will be presented to outstanding high school musicians Tuesday night with the Mission Music Club the donor for the annual award. The presentation will be a high point of the Fine Arts Concert in which the high school chorus units will be presented by Clayborn C. Norris and the high school band by Phil Shrader, Tuesday night at the Morgan Building Auditorium, starting at eight p.m

Programs to complete the week's observance will feature high school music groups at the Friday afternoon assembly program, directed by Mr. Norris and Mr. Shrader, and the band concert Saturday evening in charge of Mr. Shrader.

Series Events Scheduled In McAllen

McALLEN—National Music Week will be sponsored in McAllen by the members of the McAllen Music Club with Mrs. Thornton Thacker in charge of the arrangements.

To open observance of the event members of the Music Club will meet at the home of Mrs. R. D. Cox Monday at 3 p.m. for a program on American music with particular stress laid on the life and works of Mac Dowell. Each member is permitted to bring a guest. Mrs. C. C. Pope is in charge of the program.

Monday night a special musical program will be given at the McAllen Junior High school auditorium by the music departments of the junior and senior high schools under the direction of Instructors Hermann Wren and William Doyle. The public is invited to attend.

The Music Club trio, composed of Mrs. George Fox, Mrs. Ray Losn and Mrs. Thacker will sing Tuesday at the annual breakfast of the City Federation of Women's Clubs at the Casa de Palmas Hotel. At noon Tuesday members of the Sub-Deo trio, Phyliss Jones, Lila Beth Culwell and Mary Evelyn Leslie, will sing for the Kiwanas Club luncheon with David Calvin. The program as well as others for the Rotary and Lions Clubs meetings have been arranged by Mrs. Faye Jones.

Cantata Set In La Feria

LA FERIA—The La Feria Music Club, with the assistance of the different church choirs of La Feria, will present "Esther," a sacred cantata in five acts, Sunday evening, May 5, at 7:45 o'clock in the high school auditorium.

This very beautiful musical production will be presented with action, costumes, and a stringed orchestra accompaniment.

The public is invited.

Mercedes Program Sunday Afternoon

MERCEDES—In observance of National Music Week, the choir of the First Methodist Church at Mercedes will present a vesper service musical program Sunday afternoon at five o'clock. The choir is under the direction of Nix Harrington.

Director For Concert



Mrs. H. V. Gordon of San Benito is director of the court, featuring Indian love songs by Lieurance, to be presented Monday at 8 p. m. in the Methodist Church auditorium by the San Benito Music Club chorus. (Photo by Holbrook)

Sunday Vespers To Open Music Week In San Benito

SAN BENITO—Music Week in San Benito will be formally opened with an outdoor vesper service in the city park at 4 p. m. Sunday, May 5. The program will include an endorsement of Music Week by the mayor, Louis Witte, and invocation by Dr. C. S. McKinney. Group singing will be under the direction of Mr. W. E. Hatchett. The choirs of all city churches have been invited to join the massed choir, which will present two numbers, "Hark, Hark, My Soul," by Shelly, and "Praise Ye Jehovah," by Gounod.

On Monday evening the Music Club chorus, under the direction of Mrs. H. V. Gordon, will present a concert for Indian music by Lieurance. The chorus will be accompanied by Mrs. A. J. Moore at the organ, and Mrs. S. V. Neely at the piano, and will be assisted with flute and violin obbligatos. Immediately following the concert the members of the music club will be hostesses to the public in their annual open house.

The San Benito men's double quartet, under the direction of Mrs. James Ward, will give the Tuesday evening concert. The program includes two solos by Mrs. Ward with Mrs. Colmery as accompanist, as well as A. Cappella numbers by the quartet. On Wednesday the high school band, directed by C. J. Hall, will present a full evening of entertainment, beginning at 8:45.

The high school Glee Club and chorus groups under the direction of W. E. Hatchett, will give the final program of the week on Thursday evening.

All of the evening programs will be held in the auditorium of the Methodist church at eight o'clock, with the exception of the Wednesday evening concert, which will begin at 8:45, to prevent conflict with the regular Wednesday evening church services.

The San Benito Music Club extends cordial invitation to all music lovers of the Valley to attend.

Botanist's Life Story Is Related

HARLINGEN — The Life History of Karl von Linne, commonly known as Linnaeus, was interestingly told by Mrs. W. H. Hall as the program feature at the meeting of the Harlingen Garden Club Thursday afternoon. She showed why the Swedish botanist of the early 18th century is reverenced by botanists and other scientists. Not only was he eminent in botany, in which his simple Linnacan system of the sexual relationship of plants led to more satisfactory classification, but he was eminent in all the sciences of his time, she told her hearers. She developed especially his contribution to botany.

Announcement was made that beautification of the grounds at the Harlingen Day Nursery, including the setting of several trees and many shrubs and plants, is virtually completed. The report was made by Mrs. C. H. Simmons, chairman.

The session was the concluding meeting to be presided over by Mrs. O. E. Stuart, outgoing president. At the next meeting a tea honoring the new officers will be held at the home of Mrs. Stuart. At this time a shower will be given for Mrs. Hall, president-elect, plants being chosen suitable for growing in her newly completed greenhouse.

Benefit Given For Hospital

BROWNSVILLE—About 18 tables of players assembled for the games in the bridge and tea sponsored by the Mercy Hospital Auxiliary Thursday afternoon at the Brownsville Countrty club. Proceeds will go to the hospital.

There were table prizes at each table, and the first door prize went to Mrs. W. T. Burns, and the second to Mrs. J. G. Williams of Bayview.

Centerpiece for the tea table was a lovely arrangement of larkspur in tones of lavender and pink. Presiding were Mrs. Larry Lightner and Mrs. Dean Porter.

The auxiliary will assist the hospital in the observance of Hospital Day May 12 when open house is held between 4 and 7 o'clock at the institution. Auxiliary members will assist in hostess duties when all friends of the hospital will be welcomed. The auxiliary will sponsor too a tag day Saturday, May 11. Mrs. John Closner is chairman of arrangements for the tag day.

SWIMMING PARTY

ALAMO — The Seventh grade pupils of the Pharr-San Juan-Alamo high school enjoyed a swimming party at Cascade on Friday afternoon.

John F. Barrons Hosts At Bridge To Evening Club

BROWNSVILLE — Mr. and Mrs. John F. Barron entertained their Wednesday Evening Bridge club this week at their home. A guest player was Mrs. Joe Ingram.

In the games, Jack Wiech was high.

Players were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wiech, Mrs. Iingram, Mr. and Mrs. George Putegnat, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Perry, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Stephens, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pilgrim. The Pilgrims will be hosts at the next session.

E. Brownsville School Observes Patrons Day

BROWNSVILLE — Annual Patrons' Day was observed Thursday at the East Brownsville school with visiting hours between 2 and 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon.

The patrons were shown through the rooms where the work of the children done during the past year was exhibited. The rooms were decorated with flowers.

Attractive invitations with poems appropriate for Mothers Day had been made by the pupils. Miss Amelia Campbell, principal, and the teachers, joined the children in extending the invitation to attend.

Miss Hamner Honored On Wedding Eve.

HARLINGEN — An interesting tradition in the Harlinge Beta Sigma Phi was observed with the spinster dinner given Saturday evening to honor Miss Virginia Hamner whose marriage to George William Wehrung III of Houston takes place at eight o'clock Sunday morning. Hostesses were Misses Ida Ruth King and Marion Williams at the latter's home, 902 E Taylor

A garden supper served in the back yard lighted by colored lights was the especially enjoyable event arranged by the hostesses. Roses were used for decoration.

On the buffet table rested twin cakes, heart-shaped, and linked by an arrow. Lettered in icing on the tops were "Virginia" and "George."

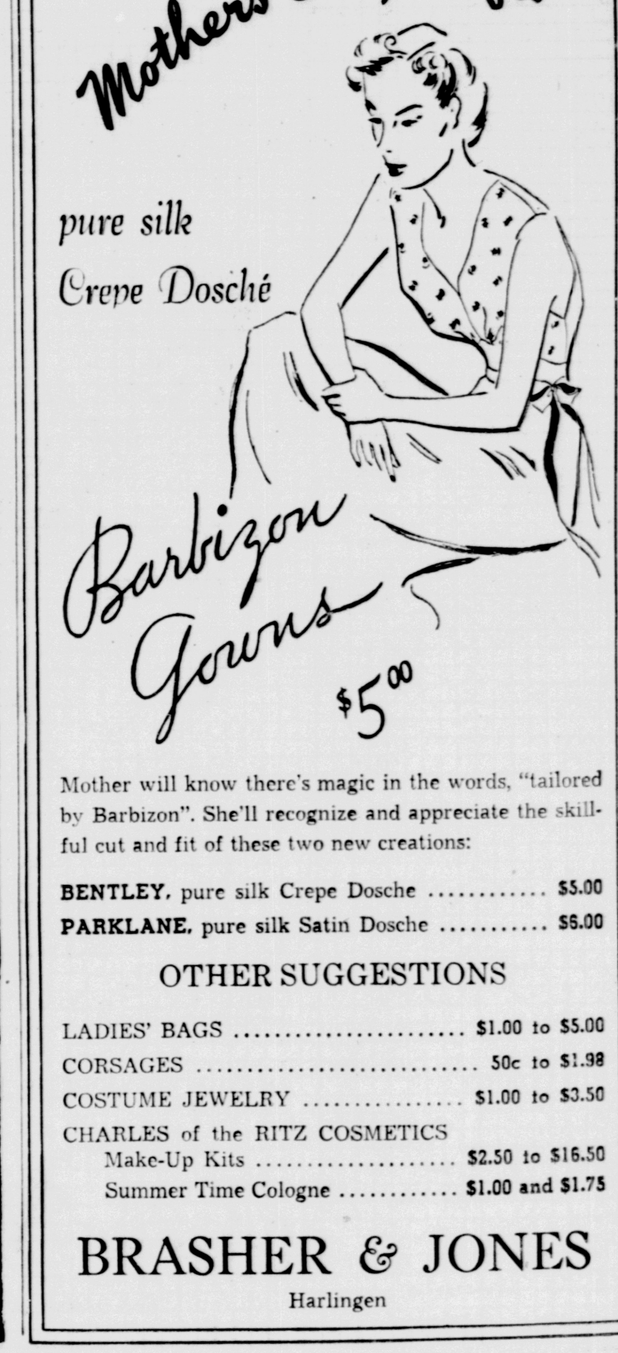
Special guests were Mrs. R. E. Hamner of Hemstead, mother of the honoree, and Miss Mahalah Hamner, her sister.

Sorority members included Misses Virginia Hamner, Irene Peek, Ida Ruth King, Louise White, Beth Gregory, Dora Lamon, Laura Shaw, Louise Hale, Lillian McInnis, Frances Peek and Mesdames Tom Starkey, W. J. Matz, John L. Stone, Clinton Beck, Preston Wilson, Carl Swanson, Ernest Langh George Beck, Randal McLelland, and Tommy Thomas.









Graduate Honoree For Tea



Scores of pretty young misses were present Saturday afternoon when Miss Mary Frances Lundy, above, was the honored guest at a springtime tea given at the home of Miss Betty Edelstein. Members of the Tip-Top Club, junior social organization, were hostesses for the event which was their outstanding social function. Miss Lundy was feted as a graduate of the class of 1940. (Staff Photo)

Brownsville Art League Sending Invitations For Exhibit Of Dublin's Work

BROWNSVILLE — Members of the Brownsville Art League are sending out invitations to a coffee at which they will exhibit etchings by James Harvey Dulin. The etchings will be shown Friday morning between the hours of 10 and 12 o'clock at the country home of Mrs. W. W. Ely.

Sixteen of the artist's etchings will be displayed. Mr. Dulin's works have been shown in the Annual Exhibition of Chicago Artists, many years in succession in the salon of the Societe Nationale des Beaux-Arts in Paris, the Toledo Museum of Art, and many others.

Included in the work to be shown are these original works: The Bow Tree, L'interieur Breton, Facade of Medinet Habu, Notre Dame de Paris, La Rotisserie de la rue St. Maur, Karnac, Luxor, Le Port de St. Tropez, Le Potager de Paris, Le Coin du Qur . Les Pecheurs de Mulets (dry point), Le Quai du vin (lithograph), Le vieux Monastere (lithograph) Aubergenville, Holly in My Window, and Le Trois Mats.

Mr. Dulin, who has been making his home in Chicago, is interested in establishing a school of arts in this section of the country. He has considered the possibility of founding a school in the next several years which would be connected with some established school of arts, and which would have visiting professors.

The League plans to evhibit the etchings to art classes in the public schools, and possibly to the service clubs also.

Calendar

BROWNSVILLE

MONDAY

Beta Sigma Phi at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. T. A. Kinder, Jr.

Presbyterian auxiliary executive board at 3:30 p. m.

Episcopal Woman's Auxiliary at 2:30 p. m. at the parish house.

Annual spring dinner sponsored by the Episocpal Woman's auxiliary between 6 and 8 p. m. in the parish house.

Methodist WMS in circles at 3 p. m. is follows: One, Mrs. L. L. Lloyd; Two and Three, at the church; Young Matrons, Mrs. G. L. Baker; Lucy Rae, Mrs. R. A. McKee.

Business meeting of the Sacred Heart Altar Society at the parish hall.

Business meeting of the Pan American Round Table at the Ben M. Freudestein home at 9:30 a. m.

TUESDAY

Brownsville Travel Club tea by Mrs. W. W. Underwood and Mrs. J. B. Coulter at the Coulter home.

Learners Club at the Woman's Club with Mrs. G. S. Stell.

Athenian Club with Mrs. Fred Knapp.

Presbyterian evening circle with Miss Anna Mae Walton.

Tuesday Bridge Club with Mrs. Jack Mace.

Mardi Bridge Club with Mrs. C. E. McCormick.

WEDNESDAY

Penny Supper at the Central Christian church.

Wednesday Study Club with Mrs. G. W. Moothart.

Annual Mother-Daughter banquet sponsored by the Skinner Memorial class at 7 p. m. at the Presbyterian church.

THURSDAY

Victoria Civic Club with Mrs. G. E. Lauver at 9:30 a. m.

El Jardin Heights Social Club with Mrs. L. A. Crowe, 923 W. St. Francis.

Evening Bridge Club with Mr. and Mrs. John Dutro.

FRIDAY

Coffee and exhibit of Dulin etchings by the Brownsville Art League at the home of Mrs. W. W. Ely between 10 and 12.

Patronsc Day and PTA meeting at the Victoria Heights school at 2:30 p. m.

SATURDAY

Tea for mothers by the L. B. L. Club at the Woman's Club.

Dance for Kitty Junker and Lena Holland by the L. B. L. Club at the G. P. Dashiell residence.

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Calendar For Week Crowded

HARLINGEN — Annual meeting of the Harlingen B.P.W. Club will be held Tuesday at 8 p.m. at the Macy Tea House. After business has been con luded, an informal reception will be held.

All members are urged to attend.

ART IS SUBJECT FOR CLUB PROGRAM

Modern trends in painting will be presented in the program for the regular meeting of the Fine Arts Club Wednesday at the Woman's Building. Mrs. Elmer Johnson will talk on "Surrealism" and Mrs. P. G. Greenwood on "Mural Painting." Appropriate music will be "Rhapsody in Blue" played by Mrs. L. M. Vigness, La Feria.

Hostesses are Dr. Vivian Amidon and Mrs. Guy Leggett.

LUNCHEON PLANNED BY EPISCOPAL WOMEN

St. Alban's Guild will meet at the parish house Tuesday at noon for a covered dish luncheon. All women in the church are cordially invited.

AUSTIN .-T.A. TO MEET MONDAY

Final meeting for the year will be held by th Austin .T.A. Monday at the school at 3:30 p.m. Yearly reports will be presented and new officers installed.

The program will feature a talk "Moral and Religious Development of Children" by Mrs. B. S. Mothershead, a guest. Miss Beryl Baker will present a group of her pupils in song numbers.

CATHOLIC WOMEN TO MEET TUESDAY

St. Ann's Guild will meet for their regular monthly business meeting Tuesday, May 7, at the Knights of Columbus Hall.

Hostesses for the meeting will be Mesdames A. L. Bourg and J. A. Scheiner.

Mrs. J. L. Rentfro To Be Heard In Review Of Book

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. James L. Rentfro will be presented in a review of Don Secundo Somblie in a benefit sponsored by the Parent-Teacher associatoin of the Clearwater Grammar School May 16.

The review will be heard beginning at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and proceeds will be used to purchase maps for the school.

Mrs. Gayman Returns Home

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. Wayne Gayman, Jr., has returned to her home in San Antonio after a visit here wtih her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fricks. Mrs. Gayman was until her marriage this past December, Miss Lahoma Fricks. She was the guest of her parents while her brother, Bill Fricks, was a guest here also. Bill has departed for Hamilton Field, California, to continue his study of aviation.

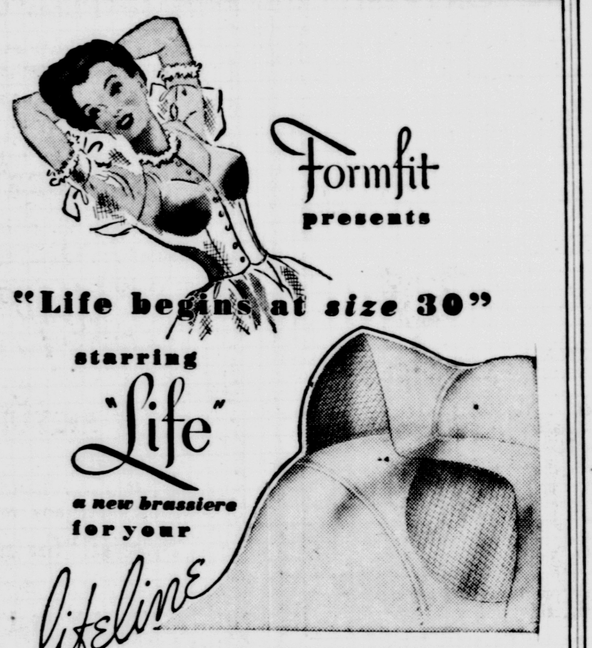
La Feria P.-T.A. Meets Wednesday

LA FERIA—The Parent-Teacher Association will hold the concluding meeting of the year Wednesday afternoon at the junior high school auditorium. A music program will be presented in observance of National Music Week.

Installation of officers also will be carried out and annual reports received, Mrs. R. P. Roach, president, has announced.

To Give Concert

ELSA—The High School Band will be presented in a concert at 5:30 p.m. near the Wilson Drug Store. A 45-minute concert will be given under the direction of Clyde Hand.



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Recent Bride Honored



Mrs. Dick Lloyd is the former Miss Floye Garrett. She recently has been honored with several attractive shower courtesies.

Bridal Shower Given For Mrs. Dick Lloyd

HARLINGEN — A delightful shower honoring Mrs. Dick Lloyd, who before her recent marriage, was Miss Floye Garrett, was given Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Frances Waters with Mrs. Alex Matz as co-hostess.

The living room was decorated with roses and lilies. A series of games were played, the prizes going to the bride. A treasure hunt was staged for the honoree, ending when she discovered a basket of lovely gifts in the living room.

A refreshing drink was served with sandwiches and cookies.

The list of invited guests were Misses Helen Ritchie, Lorene Means, Betty Lee Burke, Eulane Wiliams, Virginia Hill, Betty Jane Withers, and Floyce Garrett, Mesdames B. B. Willis, Raymond Stroud, Bill Pitzer, Dorothy Mays, L. B. Martin, R. S. Garrett, Vassar Matz.

And Mesdames E. O. Matz, F. J. Garrett, Lewis Maston, Floyd Mitchell, and Misses Florence Matz, Dorothy Adolph, Doris Fern Rossler, and Delitha Bothwell.

Delegates Are Named

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. Roy F. Breeden was in charge of the lesson on Mexico between the years of 1910 and 1913 at the Thursday morning meeting of the Alpha Study club at the R. A. Hightower home.

Delegates to the Delphian council meeting in Harlingen May 9 were appointed, and are Mrs. Jack Wiech, Mrs. Fritz Schmidt, and Mrs. Harold H. Haaker.

Mrs. Haaker was welcomed as a new member.

At the next meeting, to be held in two weeks, new officers will be elected.

Pair Returns

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. Lucy A. Nance and her daughter, Mrs. Sam Beeker, returned Thursday evening to their home here after a delightful motor trip of three weeks. They joined a party of friends in Houston, and from there went to New Orleans, Louisiana; Natchez, Vicksburg, and Gulfport, Mississippi; Mobile, Alabama, and Pensacola, Florida.



Garden Club Hears Echoes Of Confab

WESLACO—Mrs. R. A. Dennison was hostess Thursday morning to the Garden club, with Mrs. George Godfrey, president in charge. Mrs. Fred Rives was the program chairman with Mrs. LeRoy Buss who gave an interesting report of the state convention, and also gave a talk of "Drought Resisting Plants."

Mrs. DeWald, a Junior Club enthusiast urged better co-operation of the senior members with the junior workers.

The Valley Council was announced to be held at Donna May 10 and the next meeting of the club will be a covered dish luncheon at the home of Mrs. LeRoy Buss.

Twenty six members enjoyed the interesting morning meeting and Mrs. S. W. Price was welcomed a new member.

A profusion of colorful spring flowers decorated the living rooms, when Mrs. J. E. Lovett was hostess to her sewing circle Wednesday afternoon at her home.

Geusts were Mesdames Haas, LeMaster, Woodward, Jones, Hawkins, Ewing, Molby and Penick and Miss Jones.

The hostess served iced punch and cookies.

Mrs. Goodwyn Hostess At Coffee Saturday Morning

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. C. H. Goodwyn entertained very delightfully at coffee Saturday morning in the rooms on the second floor at Landrum's.

She was hostess to about sixty-five guests during the hours of 10 and 12 o'clock in the morning. About the rooms were pretty arrangements of spring flowers.

Centering the coffee table was an artistic bouquet of pink roses. Presiding alternately here were Mrs. W. E. McDavitt, and her daughter, Mrs. O. J. Studeman.

Los Fresnos Woman's Club Holds Annual Guest Day Program

LOS FRESNOS—One of the highlights of the year in Los Fresnos Woman's Service club was the annual guest day held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Leon Hinkley. Acting as co-hostesses with Mrs. Hinkley were Mrs. Grover Greer, and Mrs. Ura Breedlove.

The program was arranged by the dramatics committee of which Mrs. E. A. Olson is chairman. Mrs. Kenneth Bland's music committee assisted.

Mrs. Cleve Tandy of Brownsville sang "The Night Wind," by Ernest R. Ball and "Nothin' But Love," by Carrie Jacobs Bond, accompanied by Kent Stratford. Mr. Stratford then gave as piano solos, "Scenes From an Imaginary Ballet," by Coleridge-Taylor, and "Capricio," by Dohnanyi. Mrs. H. V. Gordon of San Benito sang "Blue Danube," by Johann Strauss, and "Strawberry Jam," one of her own compositions. She was accompanied at the piano by Arthur Moore.

A one-act playlet, "Trouble In An Old Lady's Home," was presented by Mrs. Frank Williams, Mrs. E. A. Olson, Mrs. Harold Pugh, and Mrs. Herbert Leach.

Twenty-eight members, and the following guests were present: Mesdames D. D. Steele, Otto Toland, H. J. Tandy, Sr., Mark N. French, Nolan Taylor, J. E. Shankle, S. F. Henderson, Bradford Ramsey, Kay Johnston, Kermit Weikel, J. A. Dilhite, Phil R. Moyle, A. W. Schaffer, Charles Buchen, R. C. Galleyn, Inga Olson, William Andresen, Blanche Manor, and Florence Collins, all of Lost Fresnos, and Mesdames H. V. Gordon, Arthur J. Moore, and M. E. Zumwalt of San Benito; Mrs. Cleve Tandy, Mrs. Mark N. French, and Kent Stratford, all of Brownsville.

Luncheon Set To Conclude Club Year

ELSA—Plans for the final meeting of the club year, a luncheon Saturday, May 18, were made when the Elsa Civic and Study Club met at the club house Wednesday afternoon with the president, Mrs. D. M. Graham, presiding. After the luncheon at one o'clock the regular meeting and year's report will be given and new club officers installed.

Mrs. John Carr was program leader for the Wednesday meeting. Her topic was National Music Week. She also gave a demonstration lesson by the singing class, a group of about 12 children.

The Girl Reserves of the Edcouch-Elsa school were guests and sang a group of songs. Also the work and ideals of their organization were explained.

About 20 club members were present.

Mrs. Dales Knapp Is Bridge Hostess

ALAMO — Mrs. Dales Knapp was hostess to her bridge club on Wednesday. After the games she served a salad course to the following: Mesdames Albert Jensen, Carl Darnell de Roulac, Ira Sharp, Tut Cadell, Dick Winn, and A. F. Taylor. Mrs. Cadell received high, Mrs. Jensen second high and Mrs. Drennan consolation.

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RAYMONDVILLE — A clever comic costume party with guests representing popular comic strip characters was given by Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Stephens for their daughter, Delores, and Miss Maurine Cheney on Wednesday evening at the Woman's club.

Appropriate to the season was the May Day decorations and May pole with streamers of red and white. The throne for the King and Queen of Comics was occupied by the winners who were James Duddlesten as the "Villian" and Winifred Raymond as "Nikki Nikki."

Guests dancing throughout the evening were: Misses Barbara Calloway, Delana Stephens, Winifred Raymond, Patricia Loe, Willie Mae Nachlinger, Sally Dewitt, Doris Parham, Sedelle Durham, Alta Mae Marshall, Frances Kenedy, Frances Cook, Laurine Warren, Luahna Reidle, June Page, Helen Scott, Darlene Spoonemore; Alden Gilliland, John and Herman Wetegrove, James Duddlesten, Howard Scott, Mack Sharp, Norvin Parr, Norman Johnson, Lorell Cagle, Munroe Bullard, Dick Campbell, Leighton Anderson, Jimmy Lowe, Bob Mungerson, Curtis Bernard, Joe Allen Myers, Carol Frost, and Jeff Rankin.

Other guests were Mrs. Ray Cheney and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thompson.

Games Of Bridge Furnish Diversion For Kil-Kare Club

BROWNSVILLE — At the meeting of the Kil-Kare Klub at the home of Joyce Goforth, a brief business session preceded the games of bridge which furnished entertainment.

At the close of play, prizes went to Thelma Cofer and Frances Barnes.

Attending were Mary Lallier, Anne Schendel, Frances Barnes, Edith McKee, Iva Blanche Dittman, members, Mrs. John Dutro, sponsor, and Thelma Cofer, a guest.

The next session will be held with Mrs. Dutro.

DuBois-Hite DAR Chapter Slates Luncheon Session

BROWNSVILLE — Regular monthly luncheon meeting of the DuBois-Hite chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will be held Saturday at 1 o'clock at El Jardin hotel.

Chapter members should call Mrs. J. P. Williamson for cancellation of reservation, and visiting DAR's, who are cordially invited, are asked to call Mrs. Williamson for reservations.



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Miss Evelyn Howard will be hostess Sunday afternoon at a reception honoring her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Howard of Raymondville on their silver wedding anniversary.

Raymondville Couple Celebrating Anniversary

RAYMONDVILLE—Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Howard are celebrating their Silver Wedding Anniversary on Sunday, May 5. Their friendship began in grade school in Chandler, Oklahoma when little Flossie Yeager (Mrs. Howard) came from Bedford, Kentucky with her parents to make her home in Chandler, and Claude Howard came with his people from Springfield, Missouri to make his home in Chandler, too.

After a friendship that lasted through school the couple were married in Chandler, Okla., in 1915 in the First Christian Church in a pretty afternoon wedding ceremony, by the Reverend J. G. Cansler.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard lived in Lincoln county until 1931 when they came to the Valley and settled in Raymondville.

Miss Evelyn, their only child, who is now head of the Speech Arts department of the Mission schools, is a graduate of Raymondville high school, a student of Mary Hardin Baylor, a scholarship student in Columbia University and a graduate of the Southern Methodist University in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard are active in the civic and social life of the town and are members of the Christian Church.

House Guest Is Honored In Willacy

RAYMONDVILLE — A charming hospitality for her house guest was the bridge given by Mrs. W. C. Youngblood on Thursday afternoon in her home for Mrs. Te-Wyatt Harris of Dothan, Alabama, who is en route home from Monterrey.

Gladiolias, lilies, iris and roses were arranged in attractive pottery in the various rooms.

Guests to meet Miss Harris were: Mesdames L. C. Brenner, Harry Douthit, R. F. Robinson, Gorman Fox, Al Norman, C. D. Ritter, John Fambrough, Don Hightower, Jack Scott, Herbert Koepke, Kermit Lindahl, E. E. Baden, Hubert Wright, Frederick Humphrey, H. C. Cook, M. C. Yoder, Lud Snow, Lewis Stewart, and R. D. Smith.

First award was presented Mrs. L. C. Brenner, second award to Mrs. Fambrough and third to Miss Harris.

Cooling refreshments completed the afternoon.

Tots Guests At Gay Party

MERCEDES—A group of tiny tots were guests at a birthday party given by Mrs. Frank Barry at her home Tuesday afternoon in honor of her son, Billy Frnak, who celebrated his second birthday.

The floral decorations were in pastel shades. The little folks particularly enjoyed the gold birthday cake decorated with two candles, which was served late in the afternoon. The favors were morns and balloons.

Attending the party were Ralph Lawler, Barbara Rabalais, Marilyn and David Reynard, John David Barry, Bob Frix, Buster Lewis, Billy Wright, Mary Ann DeCell, Harry Harris, Keith Ewing, Bryson Whitlock and Jesse Reynolds.

Theatre Party Set In City Of Palms

McALLEN—The Sigma Lambda Phi sorority will stage an informal theatre party Monday night when the girls will attend the show at a local theatre.

Plans for the event and the annual election of officers May 14 were discussed at a meeting this week with Miss Earlene Kiefers as hostess at her home on Glasscock Road.

Miss Altha Meek will be hostess for the election of officers meeting.

At the meeting this week Mrs. Dayton Thomas was pledged as a member and pledge court held for Miss Wilma Beth Schuelke and Miss Jane Kelley.

Refreshments were served in conclusion.

Winter Guests Go

LOS FRESNOS—Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Richey who have been wintering in Los Fresnos left Wednesday for their summer home at Newyago on Lake Michigan. Enroute they expect to visit with their children at Austin, Iola, Kansas and Chicago.

Miss Dabney Is Honoree For Coffee

Pretty Event Given Saturday Morning

HARLINGEN—One of the prettiest prenuptial affairs of the season in Harlingen was the morning coffee and shower given Saturday from 10:30 to 11:30 a. m. to honor Miss Charlotte Dabney. Hostesses were Mrs. Jack Busa and Miss Sarah McKelvey at the former's home, 502 W. Buchanan.

Spring blooms in pastel shades were arranged with delightful effect about the guest rooms.

An unusual centerpiece developed with white gladiolas caught on coco reeds drew interest to the breakfast table which was laid with white organdy. Serving at opposite table ends were Miss Louise Hill and Miss Jane Davis.

Others in the house party were Mrs. Clinton Beck and Mrs. Bill Castleberry, San Benito.

The lovely shower gifts, displayed on small tables, were viewed by the guests, including a number of friends from out of town.

Miss Dabney's marriage to Malcolm Saulsbury will take place May 19. A number of attractive parties in her honor are preceding the wedding.

Attendants Are Revealed

McALLEN — Eminent among affairs for the coming week is the marriage of Miss Gretchen Campbell of McAllen and Vernon Woods of Brownsville for which the young bride-elect announced her attendants Saturday.

The wedding will be solemnized by Rev. M. D. Council of Brownsville, presiding elder of the First Methodist Church, in the expansive garden of the home of the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Campbell, Saturday, May 11, at 7 p.m.

Mrs. Minor Parker of Corpus Christi, the former Miss Marian Jones, a bride of recent date, will be the matron of honor while her husband will serve as best man. Mrs. Faye Jones will play the nuptial music and Mrs. J. D. Lauck of Pharr will sing several solos. The bride will be given in marriage by her father.

Following the ceremony a reception will be held in the gardens. Invitations were posted last week.

Housewarming Hono Mr., Mrs. Wilson

HARLINGEN — A few close friends surprised Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Wilson with a house warming Thursday evening. The couple recently purchased the A. J. Hill home on the Combes highway.

Games of forty-two and Chinese checkers were enjoyed and punch and cookies were served.

Present were Messrs. and Mesdames M. A. Cowart, W. E. Carey, A. J. Wilson, Janice, Filbert Engelbrecht and children, C. H. and Mary Lou, and Millard Jones, Rose Hart, Neariol Wilson, and the honor guests.

Los Fresnos Guests

LOS FRESNOS — Mrs. Martha Moses has as her guests her daughters Mrs. Adam Schaffer and son, Billy Earl, of Van Buren, Arkansas and Mrs. Clarence Casey and daughter, Joyce Marie of Blythe, Calif.

From Houston

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. Richard Burns and her son, Richard Waller, arrived Friday morning from Houston for a short visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Burns.

Calendar

McALLEN

SUNDAY

3:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.—Members of the Lower Rio Grande Valley Art League will be hostesses for a reception to honor Pierre Tartoue, portrait painter, and to exhibit five of his canvasses.

MONDAY

Reservations close for the City Federation of Women's Club breakfast.

3:00 p.m.—Mrs. W. L. Sills will entertain the G Women's Literary Club.

3:00 p.m.—Members of the McAllen Music Club will entertain with a personal guest day at the home of Mrs. R. D. Cox.

8:00 p.m.—A girl scout court of awards will be held at the Lincoln school auditorium.

8:00 p.m.—The Order of the Eastern Star will meet at the Masonic Temple.

TUESDAY

9:00 a.m.—The City Federation of Women's Clubs will hold an open meeting at breakfast at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

2:30 p.m.—Mrs. Ferrell will entertain the Current Events Club at her home.

2:30 p.m.—Officers will be installed at a meeting of the Lincoln School Parent-Teachers Association.

7:30 p.m.—Members of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church will sponsor a "Mother-Daughter" banquet at the church. The public is invited to attend.

8:00 p.m.—The annual meeting of the McAllen Business and Professional Women's Club will be held at the McAllen Chamber of Commerce building.

8:00 p.m.—Members of the Beta Sigma Phi sorority will meet with Mrs. Jack Doherty.

WEDNESDAY

2:30 p.m.—The Sunday Border Bridge Club will meet with Mrs. W. D. Baden.

3:00 p.m.—Officers will be installed at a meeting of the McAllen Study Club at the home of Mrs. A. F. Vannoy.

8:00 p.m.—The Gamma chapter of the Nu Phi Mu sorority will meet with Miss Jane McFather, sponsor.

THURSDAY

The Edna E. Leslie Bible Class of First Methodist Church will meet.

12:15 p.m.—The Republican Women's Club will meet for luncheon at the Casa de Palmas Hotel. Reservations may be made by telephoning the hotel.

FRIDAY

3:00 p.m.—Mrs. Clay Zachry will be hostess to the Priscilla club.

SATURDAY

Junior Service League members scheduled to work at the community house include: Mesdames Charles Herndon, R. F. Millar, Joe LeBow, O. Terry and L. H. Moore.

3:00 p.m.—Mrs. H. J Houser will be hostess to the Chapter F, P.E.O. at her home.

ATTEND MEETING

LOS FRESNOS—Mrs. Grover C. Page, Mrs. E. E. Hollon and Miss Ethel Gammon attended a census enumerators meeting in Harlingen Wednesday.

Elaborate May Fete Is Planned

EDCOUCH—Supt. Joe H. Wilson and the faculty of the Edcouch-Elsa schools are holding daily rehearsals for the May Fete which will be staged at the high school campus under lights on Wednesday, May 8th at 7:30 p. b. This program will be opened with a 30 minute band concert. This will be followed by the coronation.

Rosemary Adkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Adkins will be crowned as queen while Gordon Smith Jr. will reign as king. Heralds are La Viar Dyal and Albert Thompson. Flower girls are Phyllis Galloway, Jeannete Pickens, Joy McKin and Wanda Ruth Holt, Gene Martin Jr., will be crown bearer and Don Graham Jr. will be ring bearer.

Following the coronation, greetings to May Time will be given by Ben Bearden Jr. A group of children will give the flower chorus and still another group will present the Robin chorus.

The May Pole dance will be given by Bobbie Jo Bingham, Dora Jean Gafner, Ruth George, Doris Jackson, Patricia McDaniel, Patsy Ruth McDaniel, Rose Mary Vaught, Myrlene Wade, Gary Clark, Douglas Doudy, Julian Hill, Dale Hughes, Carl Poignes Jr. Jack Stokes, Seth Kennedy and Gary Martin

Vida Pickens will present a solo dance. A group of girls will give a Flower Chorus.

The last number will be a play "The Quest of the Pink Parasol," a musical operetta with the following characters: Fairy Queen, Patsy Martin, Little Girl, Loretta Shields, Poppies, Patty Jean Doshier, Jerry Thompson, Dixie Lee Peacock, Evelyn Barker, Gretchen Graham, Pauline Brown, Beryl Culpepper, Agnes Pealor, Betty McDaniel, Sammy Jo Johnson, Bartie Lee Williams, Delores Roser, Anabel Hughes, Paul Anna Jones, and the gardener, Sam Lester Johnson. Pianist for the operetta will be Misses Julia Hill and Siama Rissanen.

Patrons Day Set For P.-T.A. Group

BROWNSVILLE — Patrons Day will be held by the Victoria Heights school Friday afternoon and the Parent-Teacher Association will meet at 2:30 at the school. Installation of new officers will be held.

All friends and patrons of the school are issued a cordial invitation to attend, and all PTA members are asked to note the change in meeting day from Thursday to Friday.

Arrive From Kansas

DONNA — Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whitewood of Harper, Texas, and Mrs. Dew Yeary and infant son of Kingsville who have been the guests during the past week of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Maurice Bell, left Thursday for their homes. They came to the Valley primarily to bring home their grand daughter, Maurine, who had been visiting them.

Heads Mothers Club



The interesting mother and son study presents Mrs. Glen K. Schuepbach and her son, Glen Richard. Mrs. Schuepbach is concluding her year as president of the Child Study Club of Harlingen. (Teege Photo)

Hughes Home Scene For Pleasing Event For Club Members

ELSA — Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hughes entertained with three tables of bridge at Hu-Haven Wednesday evening. The home was attractively decorated with spring flowers.

High score for the evening was made by Mrs. Joe Wilson.

After the games the hostess served a sweet course to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Weems of Weslaco, Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Dickinson, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cramer, Mr. and Mrs Joe H Wilson, Mrs. J. P. DeWald, and Wm. Hughes.

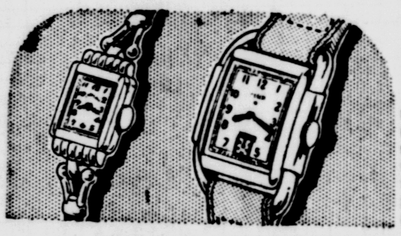
New Meeting Place Announced For Club

MISSION—Attention of members of the Mission Garden Club was directed this week to the change in the meeting place for the meeting next Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Alton Bentsen will be hostess for the meeting, instead of Mrs. W. A. Wolverton, as previously announced. Mrs. H. H. Ewing, program leader, will discuss the care of trees and plants through the summer months.

TO KINGSVILLE

LOS FRESNOS—E. D. Kraner, superintendent of the Los Fresnos schools, made a business trip to Kingsville on Tuesday.

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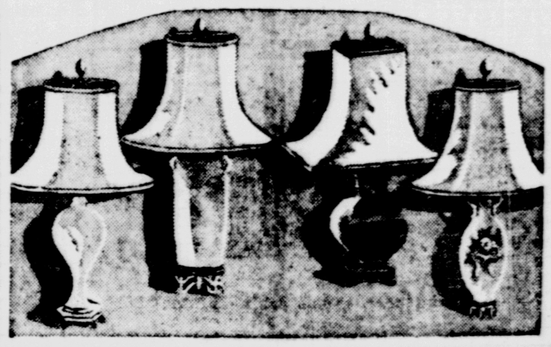
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Sorority Pledges Installed At Banquet



Newly installed pledges for Alpha Theta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi are presented in the picture above made at the Founders Day dinner held by the sorority Tuesday evening at the Madison Hotel. In the group are Miss Louise Hale, Miss Beth Gregory, Miss Irene Peek, Mrs. Clinton Beck, Miss Laura Shaw, and Miss Dora Lamon. (Photo by Holbrook)

Los Fresnos Flower Show Is Successful

LOS FRESNOS—Members of the Los Fresnos Garden Club sponsored a flower show at the Le May building on Wednesday afternoon. Special out-of town guests were Mrs. A. C. Uhl of Port Isabel, and Mrs. C. W. Sullivan and Mrs. J. A. Gustafson of San Benito. Judges for the show were Mrs. R. B. McLeaish and Mrs. H. J. Leach of Bayview.

Ribbons were presented as follows: gladiolas, Mrs. S. S. Sappenfield, first; red nasturtium, Mrs. S. E. Barr, first; nasturtium, Mrs. S. E. Barr, first; mixed, Mrs. Smith Henderson, second. Zinnia arrangement, Mrs. S. S. Sappenfield, first, Mrs. S. E. Barr, second; sweet peas, Mrs. Harold Pugh, Jr., first; corn flowers, Mrs. S. S. Sappenfield, first, Mrs. S. E. Barr, second, third; carnation, Mrs. S. E. Barr, first; iris, Mrs. Smith Henderson, first; Easter lilies, Mrs. Harold Pugh, Jr., first and second in specimen and arrangement; snapdragon, Mrs. S. E Barr first and second in specimen and arrangement; double petunia arrangement, Mrs. William Andersen, first.

Summer chrysanthemums, specimen and arrangement, Bobby Barr, first; mixed flower arrangement, Mrs. Harold Pugh, Jr., first, Mrs. Frank Williams, second; oleander shrubs, Mrs. Smith Henderson, first; durante shrubs, Mrs. Harold Pugh, Jr., second; lantana pink, Mrs. S. S. Sappenfield, third; magnolia trees, Mrs. Williams, first; wild flower arrangement, Mrs. Harold Pugh, Jr., first; Mrs. S. S. Sappenfield, second; minature arrangement, Mrs. Harold Pugh, Jr., first; Mrs. S. E. Barr, second; Mrs. S. S. Sappenfield, third; rose specimen, red, yellow, and pink, Mrs. S. S. Sappenfield, first; rose specimens, red, Mrs. S. E. Barr, first; pink rose specimens, Mrs. S. S. Sappenfield, first, second, third; rose speciman five, Mrs. Harold Pugh, Jr., first; red rose arrangement, Mrs. S. E. Barr, first, Mrs. William Andresen, second, Mrs. S. S. Sappenfield, third; pink rose arrangement, Mrs. S. S. Sappenfield, first, Mrs. Harold Pugh, Jr., second, Mrs. William Andresen, third; potted plants, Mrs. Smith Henderson, first, second and third; scarlet phlox, Mrs. Clarence Pederson, first; red verbana, Mrs. P. C. Pederson, first.

Graduates Present Assembly Program

LOS FRESNOS—Members of the graduating class of 1940 presented the final assembly program of the school year on Wednesday morning. Features of the entertainment were the class history written by Juanita Brooks; the prophecy, by Barbara Jean Goates; class will by Dottie Henry; class poem by Bobby McLeaish. The program was concluded by singing the school song with Miss Phail-Dean Copeland, class sponsor, at the piano.

VISITING PARENTS

RIO GRANDE CITY—Mr. and Mrs. Ross Bassinger and twins, Grey and Greta, of Houston arrived Tuesday to be the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alberto Gutierrez, until Sunday.

New Officers Installed By Pan-American Table; Uraguay's History Told

BROWNSVILLE—Before a large gathering of members and guests the Pan-American Round Table held annual installation of officers at the monthly luncheon meeting at El Jardin Hotel Friday. The table centerpiece represented one of the many plazas of Montevideo, capital of Uruguay, the city of roses, and featured a lake surrounded by lovely roses of many colors.

After the introduction of guests, a new active member, Mrs. Neil Allen, who represents Honduras, was introduced. Mrs. R. D. Sundell, retiring director, called attention to a seven-branched candlabrum holding one tall and six short candles in the Pan-American colors, white, purple and gold, and introduced Mrs. Henry Krausse, who, in the absence of Mrs. W. W. Dees, state director, installed the new officers. As each was called, she was presented with a corsage and lighted a candle.

Newly elected officers are Mrs. Ben Freudenstein, director, and Mrs. Kellis G. Buckley, assistant director. Those re-elected are Mrs. J. Grider Perkins, recording secretary; Miss Julia O'Brien, corresponding secretary; Mrs. James L. Rentfro, treasurer; and Miss Florence Bell, historian.

Presents Gavel

Mrs. Krausse mentioned that the choice of the Pan-American officers was a splendid one as she knew each had the interest of the Round Table at heart and would serve loyally and faithfully to further the interests of Pan-Americanism. Mrs. Sundell presented the Round Table with a gavel made of Oregon wood, and turned it over to Mrs. Freudenstein, who used it for the first time at this session.

Mrs. Joe K. Wells was program leader, and gave a most interesting and instructive paper on Uruguay. Most of the material Mrs. Wells presented was from a book, The Thirty-Three Orientales and the Independence of Uruguay by Enrique de Garcia which she read in Spanish and translated. Mrs. Wells gave in detail the historic background of Uruguay, officially the Oriental Republic of Uruguay, and still called the Banda Oriental from the time that Juan Diaz de Solis, voyaging from Spain in 1512 was the first white man to set foot in Uruguay.

Founder Meets Death

He and his companions were driven off by Indians, but returned in 1516, this time to meet his death. Five years later Magellan's fleet landed near the present site of Montevideo and from the pilot's cry, "I see mountains," the city later took its name. Then in 1526 came Sebastian Cabot, who pushed upstream beyond the confluence of the Parana and the Uruguay, and founded the settlements of San Salvador and Sante Spiritus. Uruguay had been born.

From then on for 400 years, Spain and Portugal fought for the rich country of Uruguay, and many exciting events occurred until its independence and its establishment as a republic was declared in 1825.

Mrs. Wells mentioned a legend interesting in connection with stock breeding. At the time of the Spanish conquest there already existed on the plain of Uruguay and the Argentine great herds of autogenous black cattle and great numbers of horses identical with those brought in by the Spanish. In the middle of the 18th century there appeared two terrible plagues to scatter the herds, Indians and wild dogs. The Indian, a type never before seen in coastal regions descended from the mountains and swept across the valleys and plains, and then caused the first conflict between the natives and savages. The wild dogs increased in great numbers, preyed on sheep, and finally appeared at breeding time among the herds. All the inhabitants banded together, beggars, unemployed and soldiers to kill these wild dogs and the fight against them continued many years.

Gaucho A Robber

In the 19th century came the gaucho, a harder enemy to combat. The gaucho, the romantic figure of poem and story, was anything but that. He was an evil vulgarian, a robber of herds, without education, law or religion. The gaucho killed so promiscuously that he all but extinguished the herds of the plains.

Uruguay owes her liberty and independence to a little band of 33 patriots who called themselves the "Cavaliers of Liberty," and who fought against Brazilian troops with triumph. Uruguay has a past very brilliant and intense.

There will be a business meeting of the Table Monday at 9:30 a.m. at the home of Mrs. Freudenstein. All members are urged to attend as there will not be another business meeting until October.

Group Meets In McAllen

McALLEN — Reservations will close Monday afternoon for the annual open meeting and breakfast of the City Federation of Women's Clubs to be held at 9 a. m. Tuesday at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

All who wish to attend are asked to make their reservations at the hotel.

Hostess clubs for the event, which will mark the closing of the federation's current club season, will be members of the McAllen Music and Literary Clubs.

The Music Club trio, composed of Mrs. Thornton Thacker, Mrs. George Fox and Mrs. Ray Losh, will sing several songs in observance of national music week. Mrs. Leverett Leonard and Mrs. Paul Sherwood will present their joint review of "The American Way," recent Broadway legitimate stage hit.

Arrives Soon

BROWNSVILLE—Arriving about the middle of the month for a visit here will be a former Brownsville resident, Clarence Reagan. Mr. Reagan is residing in Goldsboro, North Carolina.

Committees Named For New Year

WESLACO — The Fine Arts club met with Mrs. Otha Cantrell hostess at her home this week.

Mrs. Fred Robertson was the guest speaker, giving an interesting talk on the European situation. Twenty five members enjoyed the social hour, a delicious sandwich plate being served. Gladiolias decorated the living rooms.

During the business Mrs. Neal McNaughten, new president, appointed her committees as follows: Junior Garden club, Mesdames Dick Cotton, Fred Rives, and Gilson Knapp; civic, Mesdames W. A. Dorman, Judson Friday, Norris Richey; membership; Mesdames Martin Davis, I. C. Corns, and Otha Cantrell; courtesy: Mesdames John Wood, K. P. Caskey, and Earl Pike; scrap book; Miss Pearl Youngblood; project committee, Mesdames Bob Hankel, W. A. Dorman, Fred Pepper, publicity; Mrs. W. A. Brunton; reporting delegate: Mrs. Marvin Farley.

Officers assisting Mrs. Neal McNaughten for the year's activities are Mrs. Dorman, Mrs. Gilson Knapp, Mrs. Friday, Mrs. Garza, Mrs. Scott, and Mrs. Kay.

The next meeting, May 7, will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hatchett, Northwest of Harlingen with Mrs. McNaughten hostess. Mr. Hatchett will explain his handicraft of inlaid wood and other woodwork which he will demonstrate.

Mrs. Sid Rankin and Mrs. Clementine Holmes were hostesses to the Southern Star Home Demonstration club Tuesday afternoon at a lovely lawn party at the Rankin home.

Bouquets of spring flowers made a pretty setting to the lawn arrangements. Cotton mattress making was discussed by Mrs. M. D. Stice and Mrs. Shuford.

Eighteen members and guests, Mrs. Leo Norman, Mrs. T. D. McCollon, Mrs. Eugene Vaughn, and Mrs. C. L. Rupert, enjoyed the affair.

Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Jim Puckett and Mrs. M. D. Stice will be hostesses at the I.O.O.F. hall when Miss Miller will give a talk of "Water in and Out."

Circle Meetings Set For Monday By Methodists

BROWNSVILLE—Members of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Methodist church will gather Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in circles.

Circles Two and Three will meet at the church, while Circle One will be entertained by Mrs. L. L. Lloyd. Mrs. G. L. Baker will entertain the Young Matrons, and the Lucy Rae will meet with Mrs. R. A. McKee.

Family Topic For Address For P.-T. A.

RAYMONDVILLE — Fathers as well as mothers and teachers met in the school auditorium Wednesday evening for the final meeting of the Raymondville Parent-Teacher Association to hear Supt. Ernest Poteet, of Mercedes spoke on "What is the Trend of the American Family Today?"

From a national survey the speaker made these findings: (1). a decrease in the size of the family, (2). a trend toward complications of home life; (3). to get away from autocratic parental control; (4). toward the appearing of children late in the lives of the parents; (5). toward distinct change in home entertainment; (6). change in diseases of family. A partial solution of the problems thought Mr. Poteet was in parent education and helping the youth to understand problems that develop during married life.

The Home Economics freshman class, under the instruction of Miss Theo Smith, presented a style revue of the frocks each member had made. A background of music was given by Miss Helen Scott.

In recognition of National Music Week, W. E .Arnold and his family consisting of five members: Della Sue, age four with a drum, Jack, 9, cornet; Betty, 12, saxophone, Mrs. Arnold, the clarinet and Mr. Arnold the mellophone gave a family concert. They were accompanied by Helen Scott at the piano.

Clifton Holt played a clarinet solo. Room prize went to Leighton Smith, Rome 8A.

In an impressive candle lighting service the new officers were installed by Mrs. M. C. Yeargen. They are: Mrs. R. A. Thompson, president; Mrs. Gerald Sensabaugh, vice-president; Miss Marjorie Finlay, secretary and Mrs. I. B. Loe, treasurer.

Mrs. C. W. Pierce announced the Summer Round-Up for May 15th.

Dramatic Recital, Event Of Friday, Of Much Interest

LOS FRESNOS—Mrs. D. D. Steele, assisted by the school band, presented her dramatic pupils in a group of readings and three one-act comedies on Friday evening, May 3, in the high school auditorium.

Cast in a playlet, "Getting Even With Sister's Beau" were Bobby Kraner, Bobby Casey, Marjorie Hinkley and Edward McLeaish. A second comedy included Edward McLeaish, Ethelyn Williams, Katheryn Patterson, Marjorie Hinkley, Jimmy Hinkley, Grover Greer, Jr., and Jimmie McLeaish.

Cast for the high school play, "Kidnaping Betty," were Bobby McLeaish, Elvin Pederson, Jr., Chalmers Williams, Veta Mae Ferguson, Martha Sue Cook, Billie Bingley, and Betty Lou Steele.

The school band, under direction of Nolan B. Hatcher made its last appearance for the season in several numbers at intervals during the program.

Tot Has Birthday

ALAMO — James Swallow celebrated his fifth birthday on Friday when his mother, Mrs. F. A. Swallow asked his playmates in to share his cake and play games. The guest list included Norma Halvig, Billy Ed Lee, Jackie Come, Loyd Mashaw, Barbara and Spenser Knapp, and Bobbie Cadell.

Announcement Is Made Of Coming Rites Set For May 24 In McAllen

McALLEN—The name of another May bride was added to the spring list this week when Mrs. H. D. Horger announced the engagement and approaching marriage of her only daughter, Marilyn, at a luncheon Thursday for a number of the new bride-elect's closest friends.

Her marriage to N. L. Bormann, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Bormann of McAllen, will be solemnized May 24 at the First Christian Church.

Following the May day trend to May poles the engagement and marriage were announced at the luncheon table. A May pole, banked with queen Anne's lace and Easter lilies, centered the table. From it pink streamers extended to each guest's place and connected with a tiny basket. Tucked in here a little scroll, printed in silver, disclosed the news.

Elsewhere in the house the same flowers were used as decorations.

Guests were Misses Gloria Merts, Elsie Steinman, Maris Lawson, Judy Lassiter, Eloise Cummings, Ruth Schlensig, Mrs. Jack Johnson, Mrs. William Owens, Mrs. A. B. Barnett, Mrs. Harry Merts, Mrs. H. H. Rothe and Mrs. Bormann.

The new bried-to-be and groom-elect are members of prominent McAllen families. Miss Horger was graduated from the McAllen Senior High School in the class of 1939. The groom-elect graduated from the Pharr-San Juan-Alamo high school and attended Southwestern State Teachers College at San Marcos. At present he is associated with his father in business.

The young couple will make their home in McAllen.

European Crisis Aired In Discussion

SAN BENITO — A round table discussion, prompted by Miss Nellie Jones' report of Frank Baldwin's address at the Valley Federation meeting, was an interesting feature of the Wednesday meting of the Browne Tract Club held at the home of Mrs. Leslie Carpenter with Mrs. R. E. Baker as assistant hostess.

In the discussion it was brought out that Mr. Baldwin intimated that no race of people in Europe are wholly to blame for the war; that it is the rest of clashing races and creeds and need of room for expansion.

Miss Lu Elsie Nabel, county agent, using a basic sweet yeast dough, showed how several kinds of sweet breads could be quickly and easily made.

All low income farm families, those receiving less than $400 a year, can obtain a 50-pound cotton mattress for the expenditure of 20 cents for thread and the use of needles and card plus assistance in the making of the mattress, Mrs. Baker told fellow club members.

The mattresses are to be made of surplus cotton acquired by the federal government through farm loans. The disposal of the cotton will have the effect of improving market conditions on cotton it is said.

An attractive lunch was served by the hostesses to 18 members and the following guests, Miss Nagel, Mrs. W. A. Cox, Mrs. S. L. Coston, Mrs. Lebert Coston, and Mrs. L. W. Bright Next meeting will be May 15 with Mrs Reed Lang.

Friends Are Invited To Reception Monday

SHARYLAND—An invitation is extended through the press by Mr. and Mrs. F. M. De Sart inviting friends to attend the reception and open house which they are giving Monday afternoon and evening from 3 to 8 o'clock at the Wimodausis Clubhouse, marking the celebration of their golden wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Lauderdale Is New President Mercedes P.-T.A.

MERCEDES — A talk on "Health Education" by Dr. Marion Lawler, installation of the incoming officers and announcement of committee chairmen for 1940-41 featured the South Grammar Parent-Teacher Association meeting Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Martin Hancheck installed the following incoming officers: Mrs. Henry Lauderdale, president; Mrs. L. H. Henry, vice president; Mrs. J. A. Slaughter, secretary; and Committee chairmen named by Mrs. Harold Stuart, treasurer.

the new president, Mrs. Lauderdale, were: Membership, Mrs. Fred Bernard; Publicity, Mrs. Walden Haynes; Hospitality, Mrs. F. Goodson; Finance, Mrs. Tomi y Ewing; Health, ohn Herndon; Music, Miss Allamae Mrs. Clive Archer; Literature, Mrs. Hudson; Radio, Mrs. Tommye Sterr; Room Representatives, Mrs. Arnold Dryer; Parent Education, Mrs. Carl A. Blasig.

Are League Will Fete Painter

McALLEN — Marking the first time Pierre Tartoue, French born portrait painter, has exhibited any of his work in McAllen members of the Lower Rio Grande Valley Art League will honor him at a reception this afternoon from three until five o'clock at the Spanish Room of the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

The artist will be presented to the visitors by officers of the League. Art lovers are invited to attend.

Artist Tartoue will show his canvasses of Governor Bill Murray of Oklahoma; Mrs. Elmer Bentsen, Miss Betty Bentsen who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bentsen and Mr. and Mrs. Politte Elvins of Pharr.

All members of the Art League will assist as hostesses.

The portrait painter with his wife have spent the winter in the Upper Valley. They plan to leave within a short time for the north and are tentatively planning to establish a studio in McAllen next winter.

The artist was born in Nantes, France, but has made his home in has painted scores of notable personages in the east, middlewest and west.

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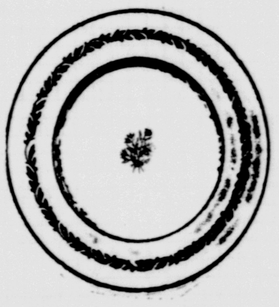
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Miss Dunlap To Wed



Mr. and Mrs. Welborn Dunlap of Corpus Christi announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Rowena, to Richard Thomas Thompson of Edinburg, son of Mrs. S. M. Thompson of Butler, Mo. The wedding will take place June 1. The bride-elect is a graduate of Texas A and I. College, Kingsville and a former Lantana Queen. She also attended the University of Colorado at Boulder. For the past three years she has been art instructor in Edinburg schools. Mr. Thompson, who attended Missouri University, is with the U. S. Department of Agriculture at Edinburg. (Photo Courtesy Corpus Christi Caller-Times)

Breakfast Meeting Ends Club Activity For Year

LA FERIA — Breakfast, annual reports, and farewells featured the meeting of the Twentieth Century Club Thursday morning at the home of Mrs. John H. Mitchell. Hostess with Mrs. Mitchell for the affair were the social committee comprised of Mrs. E. F. Brower, Mrs. O. C. Trotman, and Mrs. Ross Jones.

A business period followed the delicious breakfast with Mrs. Leon Hargrove, president, presiding.

Mrs. J. B. Smith, program chairman, introduced Mrs. John Sanders, who gave a number of poems from the book "Yamparika," by Mrs. Adele Hart Brown of Mission. Mrs. Sanders was awarded the book as a prize for giving the best report without manuscript at the recent federation meeting in San Benito. The book of poems was given by Mrs. Leon Grown of Mission, daughter-in-law, of the author.

Mrs. Smith gave an interesting description of Grand Canyon of Colorado and Carlsbad Cavern in New Mexico. "The Great Southwest" was the main topic for the program.

Mrs. M. E. Mitchell gave a report of the federation meeting.

During the business period it was voted to give $10 to the high school library. Annual reports of officers were made.

Mrs. C. H. Ritter presented to Mrs. Hargrove a lovely set of Fostoria glassware, a gift from the executive board.

Mrs. H. W. Voiers, incoming president, held a brief meeting and announced her new committee chairmen. Serving with Mrs. Voiers as officers will be Mrs. E. C. Wallace, first vice president; Mrs. Charles Harpin, second vice president; Mrs. Josh Sanders, secretary; Mrs. Leonard Hargrove, treasurer, and Miss Margaret Oliver, publicity.

Named to committees are: Social, Mesdames M. E. Mitchell, H. T. Anderson, and Wemple Sanders; music, J. B. Smith; art, Leon Hargrove; civic, O. C. Trotman; visiting, John H. Mitchell.

The breakfast menu was served at quartet tables centered by spring blossoms and quantities of blooms were placed about the home.

Committees Announced In Mission

MISSION—Miss Alice Frad, newly-elected president of the Mission Branch of the American Association of University Women, this week announced the appointment of standing committees chairmen to serve during the two-year term to which officers were elected Monday. A meeting of the new executive board, composed of officers and chairmen of standing committees, is scheduled for Thursday, May 9, at the home of the past president, Mrs. Don Murphy.

Committees who will direct activities of the organization for the next two years, and their respective chairmen are: fellowship, Mrs. Paul C. Avery, Mrs. Freddie M. Saunders; education, Mrs. S. M. Patterson; legislation, Mrs. Clyde C. Tolen; social studies, Mrs. Bolton Hyde; international relations, Mrs. Delinda Roark; economic and legal status of Women, Miss Louise Lane; membership and publicity, Mrs. W. R. Blalock; social welfare, Mrs. Don Murphy; librarian, Miss Mildred Nelson; hospitality, Miss Edna Gibbard.

Vocational guidance was made into an active committee with three members participating, Miss Jessie Norton, Miss Mildred Nelson, and Mrs. H. S. Edwards.

Mrs. Bob White Hostess For Bridge

McALLEN—Four guests were entertained Thursday at the regular bridge club luncheon at the Casa de Palmas Hotel when Mrs. Bob White was hostess.

Guests included Mrs. D. F. Baltis, Mrs. E. A. McDaniel, Mrs. Larry Savage of Massachusetts and Mrs. Meida Sharp of Mission.

The club meets every Thursday for luncheon and an afternoon of bridge.

Calendar

ALAMO CALENDAR

MONDAY

8:00—Eastern Star.

TUESDAY

2:30—Garden Club.

3:00—Womens Missionary Society.

WEDNESDAY

1:00—Circle two has luncheon at home of Mrs. Connie Stensbo.

2:30—Circle three meets with Mrs. Perry Gross.

2:30—South Morningside Home Demonstration Club.

Thursday

2:30—Mrs. W. D. Whalen will be hostess to the rosis Tea honoring new officers.

FRIDAY

12:30—Proximo Sunday School Class Party.

Luncheon Slated By UDC's

June 6 Date For Open Meeting

BROWNSVILLE — An interesting business session in which plans for a luncheon and open meeting were made, and a program led by Mrs. Harbert Davenport, were features of the Thursday morning gathering of the Magruder-Ford chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

Mrs. Fanny D. Putegnat was hostess at her home when Mrs. Davenport, Mrs. C. W. Colgin, and Mrs. Phil W. Samuel were named as a committee of arrangements for the luncheon and open meeting June 6.

Mrs. Putegnat, Mrs. Joe K. Wells, and Mrs. Davenport were appointed as a committee to take charge of the granite marker on the Boca Chica road from which the bronze plaque has been stolen by vandals. The committee will arrange to have an appropriate inscription cut out into the granite, and have the marker placed in Bayview on the site of Rip Ford's encampment during the Civil War.

It was reported that flowers had been sent to three members and relatives of members who were ill, and Mrs. Wells reported that the Jefferson Davis marker at Palm Boulevard and Elizabeth street had been decorated on Memorial Day.

Mrs. Davenport's topic was New Orleans. She told the story of the city as recounted in an article in Holland's magazine of 1936 which was written by T. P. Richardson, a former Valleyite. She read excepts describing the battle of New Orleans in 1812 as taken from the book, Border Captain, a story of Stonewall Jackson, by Marquis James. The taking of New Orleans by the Union Army in 1862 was described also, with these facts gleaned from the reports of Major General Matt Seale Lovell, in command of the Confederates.

Music Noted In Program

PRIMERA — Recognition was splendidly given to the approach of Music week in the program presented Thursday at the meeting of the Primera Home Demonstration club. Mrs. Jennings Young was cohostess. Members answered roll call by naming a favorite in music.

Report of the Valley Federation meet in San Benito was given by Mrs. J. P. Peel and Mrs. Wilmuth gave the council report.

Feature of the afternoon was an informative paper "Value of Music in Our Lives" by Mrs. A. J. Fett. Stating that the beginning of music as an art is obscured by time, Mrs. Fett declared that in ancient Egypt music was held to be a sacred art, practised only in the temples and jealously guarded by the priests. She showed the forms of expression in various civilizations and concluded her discussion with the opinion that nothing can exercise a better influence than good music.

Mrs. E. E. Stone gave the story of "The Woman Who Sang." During the 10-minute recreation period, singing was enjoyed.

Later refreshments were served on the shaded lawn to 22 members and one guest.

McAllenite Initiated Into Phi Beta Kappa

McALLEN—Mrs. Preston Ford of McAllen returned this week from Austin where she attended initiation ceremonies for the University of Texas chapter of Phi Beta Kappa, national honor society.

Mrs. Ford recently was elected to membership in the organization. Initiation was held at a banquet at Austin May 1 when Dr. Homer P. Rainey, university president, who became an honorary member of the group, made the initiation address.

Attend Conference

MISSION—Mission and Sharyland girls who are at the YWCA camp in Rio Hondo this weekend to attend the spring conference of Valley Girl Reserves included:

From Mission—Marian Bergquist, Lorraine Vollmer, Mary Alice Conway, Doris Pearson, Mary Sue Harrell, Javonne Jewett, Hattie Jean Sturgeon, Jean Wallace, Margaret Holley, Dorothy Balthrope and the sponsor, Mrs. Phil Shrader.

From Sharyland—Mary Frances Brashear, Gloria Jean Wingert, Virginia Moore, Martha Rumbel, Lois Gully and the sponsor, Miss Louise Lane.

Mr., Mrs. Burns Hosts At Dinner To Small Group

BROWNSVILLE — Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Burns entertained very delightfully at dinner at Landrum's in the patio Wednesday evening. Their guests were a small group of friends.

Salmon colored gladioli in a huge blue vase was used in the center of the patio, while elsewhere were bowls of roses.

McAllen Junior Service League Elects Officers

McALLEN—Mrs. J. K. Boettger, popular young McAllen matron, was elected president of the Junior Service League of McAllen at their regular meeting Thursday at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

Mrs. Boettger succeeds Mrs. Joe Le Bow during whose administration of the young civic club both the Community House for underprivileged girls and the McAllen Child's Clinic, health center for indigent children, were instituted and put into active service.

Other newly elected officers are Mrs. J. M. Daniels, vice president; Mrs. E. B. Zey, recording secretary; Mrs. P. D. Moore, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Jack Nelson, treasurer.

Outgoing officers other than Mrs. LeBow are Mrs. O. Terry, vice president; Mrs. Boettger, recording secretary; Mrs. Harry Pederson, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. R. F. Miller, treasurer.

Officers will be installed at the annual luncheon ta the Casa de Palmas Hotel May 16 at which time new members will be admitted.

Invitations to several young McAllen matrons to join the league were issued recently.

According to present plans the league will continue to operate the community house and the clinic during the summer, members said.

Picnic Party Celebrates Birthday

MISSION—Mrs. J. D. Dukes entertained Wednesday with a birthday party for Nina Merle Dukes with a picnic supper and swim at Crystal Waters Pool.

Guests were Barbara and Betty Ann McDougle, Myra Jo Hollerbaugh, Arlene Veach, Grace Nora and Leroy Graham, Marjorie Hill, Mrs. Wanda Rice, Mrs. Vernon Wilkenning, all of Mission, and Greta Joyce Noble of McAllen.

Jerry Holder's twelfth birthday was celebrated Thursday night with a "hobo" party given by his mother, Mrs. G. D. Holder.

In the party were Dan and Vernon, Richard Sharp, Mack Summers, Tommy West, Bobby Conine, Koss Moss, Jack Pritchard, and Kent Holder, Mission, Leonard Dahlberg, McAllen, and the honoree.

A gracious gesture was extended Miss Lorraine Vollmer Thursday afternoon when she was complimented with a personal shower as fellow members of the Mission Girl Reserves and other close friends formed the personnel of about 60. The home of the honoree and her parents was destroyed by fire early this week.

McAllen Group Plans Banquet For Tuesday

McALLEN — In observance of Mother's Day members of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church will sponsor a "Mother-Daughter" banquet at the church Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

The affair will mark the first observance of what the women hope to make an annual custom. All mothers are asked to attend the banquet for which a fitting and entertaining program is being arranged.

To attend all that is required is that an older woman be accompanied by a young lady, whether her daughter or not, members said.

Mrs. L. M. McGuyre is serving as banquet chairman with Mrs. Harold Brehm in charge of the program and Mrs. G. C. Ehlinger, ticket sales. Tickets may be procured from any member of the circles.

Election Scheduled For B.P.W. Club

McALLEN—New officers of the McAllen Business and Professional Women's Club will be elected Tuesday when the club holds its annual business meeting at the McAllen Chamber of Commerce building at 8 p.m.

Outgoing officers are Mrs. Edith Klink, president; Mrs. Rosemary McNallie, vice president; Mrs. Bess Richmond, recording secretary; Miss Angie Stroud, corresponding secretary and Miss Eva Grace Smith, treasurer.

Mrs. B. C. King Is Bridge Hostess

RIO GRANDE CITY—Las Palmas Bridge Club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. B. C. King. Mrs. F. G. Chatfield was an out of club guest. Members present included Mrs. John A. Pope, Jr., Mrs. Howard L. Staggs, winners of high scores, and Mrs. A. R. Baker, Mrs. W. W. Shuford, Mrs. Wm. Keach and Mrs. J. O. Moss.

At the close of the meeting, the hostess served a dessert course.

Piano Recital Given By Group Students

LOS FRESNOS—Piano students of Mrs. Grace Caldwell were presented in a recital in the high school auditorium on Tuesday evening.

Six first year pupils, two second year pupils and four third and fourth year pupils participated. A special number, a clarinet solo, "Simplicity," was played by Alfred Hanson with Mrs. G. C. Parrish as accompanist.

Included on the program were "Evening Bells" and "Silent Night" by Fernando Vasquez; "Coming Round the Mountain," Richard Laakso; "Frog Frolics" and "Dream of a Waltz," Derral Beauford; "Dress Parade," Bobby Kraner; "You and I Waltz," Charles Laakso; "Dolly's Birthday," Lena Curry; "Lazy Mary," Winona Ann Beauford; "Dreamy Waltz," Helen June Grabowski; "Beautiful Blue Danube," Marilois Barr; duet, "Black Hawk Waltz," Barbara Jean Goates and Ruby Jean Federson; "Norwegian Cradle Song," Betty Lou Steele; duet, "Over the Waves," Betty Lou Steele and Ruby Jean Pederson; "Aida," Barbara Jean Goates.

Mrs. Zimmerman Is Bridge Hostess

RIO GRANDE CITY—Mrs. W. W. Zimmerman entertained the Wednesday Bridge Club at her home this week. Guests present were Mrs. G. I. McWhorter, Mrs. G. R. Brazil, and Mrs. H. J. Fisher, and the members playing were Mesdames B. C. Arthur, Paul A. Shelton, J. H. Collins, Holland M. Wood, and H. H. Slack. High scores were won by Mrs. McWohrter and Mrs. Arthur.

A salad course was served at the conclusion of the games.

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Mrs. Pipkin Speaks For Junior Club

Etiquette Topic For Program

BROWNSVILLE — Etiquette was the interesting topic of the program at the Thursday afternoon meeting of the Junior Self-Culture club in the garden of Mrs. Jack Mace's home when Mrs. Maurice Pipkin was program leader.

Mrs. Pipkin gave the history of etiquette, stating that rules of conduct go back to the earliest civilization when savages had to devise some means of showing other tribes that they cared to live with them peaceably.

She stated that the salutation or greeting of today is the direct result of these early observances, and that the history of manners keeps pace with the history of the evolution of man, as a foundation on which all civilization is built.

The use of the knife and fork, she said, came into being after the reign of Queen Elizabeth. After several awkward attempts, the court adopted the methods of use current today. In the reign of the French Louis's, she said, the courtiers bowed and kissed the hands of ladies, and as a result of these customs, precedent is still given to women. Ease in manners, the speaker said, is the real mark of good breeding. Mrs. Pipkin ended her interesting discussion with a short verse on the wisdom of following native custom.

Seventeen members, and one guest, Mrs. Fred Pilgrim, attended the session. Mrs. Charles Mathers and Mrs. Frank Mathers gave reports on the session of the Valley Federation of Women's clubs in San Benito.

The next meeting will be the annual May breakfast, to be held May 18 at Landrum's at 9:30 a. m. At this new officers will be installed.

Farewell Courtesy Honors 2 Members Sharyland Union Aid

SHARYLAND—Two members of the Sharyland Union Aid, who are leaving soon were complimented with handkerchief showers Wednesday afternoon when Mrs. F. M. De Sart entertained the organization at the Wimodausis Clubhouse. Mrs. A. L. Potter, who will leave soon for Brookings, S. D., to make her home and Mrs. R. S. Robinson who will spend the summer visiting several points in Iowa were named as honorees.

Preceding the presentation of gifts, a brief business meeting was held with new officers in charge for the first time, and a musical program was presented.

Mrs. A. C. Trapp is the new president. Other officers were Mrs. Otto Jensen, vice president; Mrs. R. M. Sargent, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. Ben Ash, assistant secretary-treasurer.

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Starlight Novel Theme For Banquet Honoring La Feria Graduates

LA FERIA—The junior class of the La Feria high school honored the 1940 seniors with their annual banquet Thursday night in the high school cafeteria. The setting reflected the theme of the heavenly stars in keeping with a "Starlight Banquet." Streamers of blue and silver depended from the ceiling.

The table, U-shaped, was laid with a blue cloth over silver. Mint cups were tiny wagons hitched to silver stars which were placecards. Background for the room was blue dotted with silver stars, while a large full moon peeped through greenery screening the stage.

About 100 guests attended.

Theme for the program was, "The night has a thousand eyes, the day but one." Program numbers included:

"Starlight greetings," J. T. Cain, president of the junior class and toastmaster for the evening; "The Stars Reply," response by David Vigness, senior president; "The Evening Star," musical reading by Miss Elsie Thompson, accompanied by Mrs. Magnus Bolander; "Senior Stars," toast to seniors, Frances Evelyn Hennessee; "The Starlight Hour," vocal solo by Nell Sanders accompanied by Viola Yarbrough.

"Deep Purple," clarinet quintet, Margaret Ezekiel, Viola Yarbrough, Arlene Landis, Winnie Van Zandt, Willodean Walk, accompanied by Nell Sanders.

"Star Dust," vocal solo, Mildred Tuma, accompanied by Frances E. Hennessee; "Steering by the Stars," address by Supt. J. B. Smith; group singing, "The End of a Starlight Night."

Guests in addition to members of the two classes were Superintendent and Mrs. J. B. Smith, Coach C. E. Vail, Mrs. Vail, Miss Willie Fossleman, senior class sponsor; Miss Lila Dyer, junior sponsor; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tavver, Miss Doris Griffin, Mrs. Raymond Till, Magnus Bolander, A. C. Webb, and Miss Margaret Dupree.

College Set Has Annual Dinner Dance

McALLEN — Beneath a starry sky in the beautiful Palm Patio of the Casa de Palmas Hotel the freshman class of Edinburg Junior College played host to the sophomores at the annual dinner dance here Friday night.

Two hundred fourteen persons, including class sponsors, made the event the largest in the history of such functions.

Red and blue, college colors, were carried out in tasteful decorations and favors.

Charles Settles of Mercedes, freshman president, welcomed the guests and Johnny Phillips of Pharr sophomore president, made the response. A delicious chicken dinner was enjoyed.

Tony Valdez' orchestra, featuring Anne Lee Peterson as vocalist furnished music for the dance, which was a program affair.

Given most credit for making the fete a gay success was Marian Davis, chairman of the committee for the event. Assisting her were Doris Red, Stub Davis, Lorraine Steffens, Charles Settles, Stanley Sloan, Albert Schlemmer, Jeane Baker, and Jane Carey Fristoe.

Freshman class sponsors are Dr. F. S. Hayes, E. P. Lillard, and Mrs. Carrie M. Wright.

Attends Fiesta

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. Kemper has returned from San Antonio where she attended the fiesta and was a guest in the home of her son, Richard Kemper, and Mrs. Kemper.

Carnival Success

PHARR—Fifty dollars net profit was realized from a carnival sponsored here Monday night by the Pharr-San Juan-Alamo High School Band Mothers' Club. Attractions ranged from a wrestling ring to a style show.

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PAA CLIPPER BACK AFTER EPIC FLIGHT

Air History Is Made By Newsmen

BROWNSVILLE—Nearly a score of U. S. newspapermen headed northward Saturday from Mexico City after writing another chapter in the history of aviation.

The scribes had made the first scheduled flight in Pan American Airways" new stratoplane, the "Rainbow Clipper," breaking the world's record for commercial aviation altitude. The Clipper returned Saturday morning.

The Mexico City flight of the newspapermen celebrated the inauguration Wednesday of new Brainiff and PAA flights here.

Reach 24,000 Feet

Flying PAA's sleek sub-stratosphere ship, the group coasted over Mexico at 21,000 feet, and were reported to have attained a top altitude of 24,000 feet before landing in the Mexican capital.

Despite the altitude, the air pressure cabin compared to ordinary flight conditions of 13,000 feet, because of its supercharging system, similar to "air conditioning."

The flight was in charge of Frances Jacobs, chief pilot of the western division of PAA. The scribes were accompanied by Charles E. Beard, vice president of Brainiff Airways, and his assistant, W. R. Beattie.

Oil Man Aboard

Revenue passengers included W R. Davis, president of Davis and Company, international oil factor, who is developing the Rincon oil field of Starr county and is building a tank farm, and plans a refinery at Brownsville.

While in Mexico City, as the guests of PAA and the Mexican government, the newspapermen were taken on a sightseeing tour of the Mexican capital, floated through the beautiful gardens of Xochimilco, and spent an afternoon at Rancho Blanco.

They also had tea at the United States embassy as the guests of Josephus Daniels, U. S. Ambassador to Mexico, and Mrs. Daniels.

The newspapermen were impressed particularly with the intense building activity going on in Mexico City.

More Books

Library Demand Is Increasing

BROWNSVILLE—A score of new books, including several mystery stories, are expected to be added to the shelves of the Brownsville public library by the end of the week, Mrs. Claude Morton, librarian, said Saturday.

Adult fiction jumped from 969 of April a year ago to 1,007 last month, the April report of the library showed.

Juvenile fiction issued in April amounted to 77 books. There were 172 non-fiction books issued. The library had 425 readers, and seven applicants during April.

The new mystery books to be added to the library include, "Friday the 13th," "Death Comes Dancing," "Enter Three Witches," "Sabotage," "The Case of the Baited Hook," and "Murder in Shinbone Alley."

Other new books ordered include: "Show Me a Land," "The Trees," "Chad Hanna," "An American In Paris," "How Green Is My Valley," "Development of the Pre-School Child," "Mrs. Skeffington," "Bethel Merriday," "This Side of Glory," "Decade," "Don't You Cry For Me," "Their Own Country," "Miss Munday," nad "Dude Women."

U. S. Aide Becomes Proud Papa Of Boy

BROWNSVILLE — William Hedetniemi of the U. S. district attorney's office, Houston, a frequent visitor here, Saturday announced the stork's arrival.

An eight-pound, four ounce son, named John Pobert, was born Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Hedetniemi, it was announced.

Hedetniemi, who attended the University of Michigan, proudly planned on the announcement that little John is to be a member of Michigan's class of 1962.

Health Inspector Passes Out Cigars

BROWNSVILE — E. E. de la Pena, inspector of the U. S. Public Health Service, Friday passed out cigars at the Brownsville airport.

A husky eight-pound, 12 ounce, daughter was born Thursday night to Mr. and Mrs. de la Pena, the inspector revealed.

Brownsville Postal Receipts Show Gain

BROWNSVILLE — Postal receipts here showed a substantial gain in April according to figures released Saturday by Postmaster W. T. Burnett of Brownsville.

The receipts for the month totaled $6,532.22 compared with $6,061.14 for April, 1939, the postmaster said.

Cantata Delayed

LA FERIA—The sacred cantata, "Esther," to have been given this Sunday evening in the La Feria high school auditorium, has been postponed, it was announced here Saturday.

The cantata will be given the evening of Sunday, May 19.

SPEEDING CHARGED

HARLINGEN — Clifford Johnson was fined $1 and costs or total of $10 by Justice of the Peace Menton Murray here Saturday, on speeding charge filed by State Highway Patrolman R. L. Woods.

Two More Producers Mark Area Oil Moves

Production Tests To Continue For Wildcats

McALLEN — Lower Rio Grande Valley proven field activity was featured Saturday by completion of two producers at the western and northeastern extremities of the Sun field in northeastern Starr county and a gasser on the northwest edge of the field, while the Sullivan City field in western Hidalgo county came back with two new oilers and a renewed drilling campaign.

The new west edge producer in the Sun field was Sun Oil Company No. B-1 Speer, Survey 236, 900 feet west of production. With the hole bottomed at 4,966 feet, operators cemented 5 1-2-inch o. d. casing on bottom and gun-perforated with 30 shots at 4,924-34 feet. The well gauged nine barrels hourly on 3-16-inch tubing choke with 425 pounds tubing working pressure and 800 pounds closed-in casing pressure. Production was from the Speer sand in the area, and the well apparently opened up several new locations to immediate drilling.

Humble Has Gasser

In the same vicinity but farther north, Humble Oil and Refining Company No. 3 N. R. Montalvo, Survey 237, was completed as a huge gasser through casing perforations at 4,102-06 feet after the hole had been bottomed at 5,021 feet and casing cemented at 4,850 feet. Potential test showed 50,000,000 cubic feet of gas on 3-16-inch tubing choke with tubing and casing pressure equalized at 1,625 pounds. The well made a very small amount of oil, the gas-oil ratio being 250,000:1.

At the northeast extremity of production, Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1 Enemerio Juarez, Survey 241, was completed as the field's third producer in the 5,100-foot sand. The well flowed oil on drill stem test at 5,150-60 feet after sand had been cored at 5,154-75 feet. Casing was cemented on bottom at 5,181 feet. Through first casing perforation at 5,154-57 feet, the well made some salt water, but it was recompleted through perforations (1 holes) at 5,153-56 feet after the original perforations had been closed with cement. The well gauged 10 barrels hourly on quarter-inch tubing choke with tubing working pressure of 700 pounds. Tubing was set with packer in the hole.

New Locations Set

Sun was also drilling two new inside locations in the field. The No. 7 George H. Speer, Survey 238, was drilling past 3,100 feet, while the No. Augustin Olivares, Survey 239, was drilling at 2,300 feet.

In the northwest part of the field, Humble's No. 4 N. R. Montalvo Survey 237, was drilling below 3,000 feet.

Two new producers in the Sullivan City field in western Hidalgo county attracted new attention to that area, when Royal Oil and Gas Company of Houston had taken over several leases and planned rather extensive development.

Royal's No. A-1 V. G. Chapa, Tract 238, Portion 39, Reynosa Jurisdiction, was bottomed around 4,180 feet and cemented casing on bottom. Production test was under way in the field's 4,100-foot sand, but definite details were not available. The test recovered considerable on drill stem test of the sand.

Phillips Has Offset

Phillips Petroleum Compnay No. 2 G. G. Salinas, Tract 239, Portion 39, Reynosa Jurisdiction, a south offset to the Royal No. A-1 Chapa, gauged 150 barrels of oil and 200,000 cubic feet of gas daily on 1-8-inch tubing choke with tubing working pressure of 800 pounds and closed-in casing pressure of 1,500 pounds. The field's 4,100-foot sand was cored at 4,112-25 feet and casing was perforated at 4,115-23 feet. The hole was bottomed at 4,326 feet and casing was cemented at 4,184 feet for the production test.

Royal Oil and Gas No. C-1 V G Chapa, Tract 238, Portion 40, Reynosa Jurisdiction, originally bottomed at 4,026 feet and drilled by Rowan and Hope-Baldridge a year ago, was capped and shut in after a 48-hour blowout, apparently from the 3,400-foot gas sand in the area. Operators of a worker rig were attempting to cement perforations when the blowout occurred. No damage was done either to the well or rig. The new owners of the well plan to deepen the hole to 4,200 feet.

In the Kelsey field in Brooks-Starr-Jim Hogg counties, a dry hole was reported on the east edge of production and another new test was making hole.

Humble Well Abandoned

Humble's No. 65 J. C. McGill, about 5,500 feet east of discovery, was dry and abandoned at total depth of 4,785 feet, while the No 63 McGill, two locations north of the No. 65, was drilling past 2,250 feet.

One new producer was completed in the Colorado field in western Jim Hogg county and another new well as on the sand.

Humble No. 8 King Ranch-Colorado, Survey 42, on the east edge of the field, gauged 176 barrels daily on 3-16-inch tubing choke with 250 pounds tubing working pressure and 700 pounds closed-in casing pressure from sand at 3,029-41 feet. Casing had been cemented atop the sand and the hole was bottomed in sand.

Humble's No. 9 King Ranch-Colorado, Survey 42, also on the northeast edge of production, cored the field sand at 3,027-39 feet, where the hole was bottomed, cemented 5 1-2-inch o.d. casing atop the sand and was waiting on cement.

Well Cores For Sand

At the northwestern extremity of the field, about 1,900 feet northwest of production, K. M. Huber et al's No. 1 F. G. Trevino, Survey 37, was reported coring for the sand around 3,000 feet.

A southeast outpost about four miles southeast of production at Colorado was awaiting orders after completing contract and running electrical survey. Bob Irwin et al's No. 1 C. D. Jaur, in the southwest 40 acres of the northeast quarter of Survey 15, was bottomed at 3,511 feet and no shows were reported

Sun Oil Company No. 1 N. S. Thaxton, Survey 670, on the east edge of the field, was still a location and is a direct offset to Colorado Octane Company's "E" lease.

Starr Has Producer

One new producer and an abandonment were reported in the El Tanque field in southern Starr County.

Clopton and Mitchell's No. 4 C. P. Wardner, in the west two-sevenths of Portion 84, Camargo Jurisdiction, pumped 60 barrels daily from sand through casing perforations (40 shots) at 1,581-85 feet. Sand body was logged at 1,581-88 feet and casing was cemented at 1,750 feet after the hole was carried to total depth of 1,840 feet.

Clopton and Mitchell's No. 7 G P. Wardner, southeast of the No. 4 Wardner and in the same lease in Portion 84, Camargo Jurisdiction, showed salt water in the 1,300-foot, 1,500-foot and 1,800-foot sands as well as the regular El Tanque sand at 1,680-85 feet and was abandoned at total depth of 1,855 feet.

Moss-Bass-Owen's No. 5 Medardo Hinojosa et al was a new location in the North Ricaby field in Portion 83, Camargo Jurisdiction.

PRODUCTION TESTS CONTINUE IN TWO DEEP WILDCATS

McALLEN—Production tests were continuing Saturday in two deep wildcats in the Lower Rio Grande Valley, one each in Starr and Hidalgo counties.

In northeastern Starr between the Sun and Kelsey fields, Sun Oil Company, No. 1 Encarnacion Rodriguez, west part of Santa Teresa Grant, continued production tests through casing perforations in sand at 6,421-49 feet. Original tests through perforations at 6,435-39 feet and 6,441-44 feet yielded about 175 barrels of salt water and 500,000 to 600,000 cubic feet of gas daily on 1-8 inch tubing choke with 1,800 pounds tubing working pressure and 2,250 pounds closed-in casing pressure. After these perforations had been "squeezed" with cement, another test through perforations at 6,430-40 feet yielded additional gas and salt water. A third test at 6,434-38 feet again showed salt water. Operators have shut down for orders.

Repairs Cause Shutdown

Several miles west and south of the Sun field, Sun No. 1 W. G. Lehr, Survey 513, anothe important Starr wildcat, was shut down for water and boiler repairs at total depth of 5,405 feet. Little information has been made available on reported showing in this well.

In western Starr, a Queen City sand test was awaiting orders after cleaning out the hole. R. C. Hillman's No. 1 Gonzalez Heirs, Share 232, Portion 69, Mier Jurisdiction, was bottomed at 5,937 feet after failing to get drill stem tests both at 3,875-80 feet and 3,893-3,905 feet. Operators have cleaned out 2,000 feet of drill pipe which was dropped into the hole and which "corkscrewed."

North of Rio Grande City, Interstate Minerals, Inc., No. 2 Green and Manning, Share 85, Portion 81, Camargo Jurisdiction, was shut down with a fishing job at 2,000 feet.

New Gas Reserve

In Central Hidalgo county, Gulf States Oil Company, No. 2 Josefa Carden et al, Share 156, San Salvador del Tule Grant, continued production tests in deep sands. The well proved a gigantic new gas reserve for Hidalgo county on original test of a solid sand section at 8,587-8,702 feet when it gauged 45 to 50 barrels of distillate and 3,500,000 cubic feet of gas daily on quarter-inch tubing choke with 3,850 pounds tubing working pressure and 1,200 pounds closed-in casing pressure. Operators plugged off the lower sand and came back up the hole to test 8,500-foot and 8,200-foot sands logged electrically. No coring was done below 7,500 feet.

In southeastern Cameron county, Pure Oil Company, No. 1, Garcia Land and Cattle Company, six miles south of Port Isabel, was drilling again past 8,540 feet after cementing 8 1-4 inch o.d. protection string at 8,300 feet. The test is headed for 10,000 feet or deeper.

In eastern Jim Hogg county about four miles north of the Kelsey field, Maryland Oil Company, No. 1, Yzaguirre, Tract 7, Las Animas Grant, was still a location. On a farmout from Shell Petroleum Corporation, it was understood the well must be carried to 6,500 feet.

25-Cent Idea

Student Receives Aid Via Letters

McALLEN—When a University of Texas sophomore found himself without sufficient funds to continue his education, he went to work to do something about it.

He wrote scores of letters, addressed to various persons over the state, asking them to send him 25 cents in an enclosed stamped and addressed envelope in order that he might continue work on degrees in business administration and law.

A McAllen man who received one of the letters promptly sent 25 cents to the student.

Valley Poetess Has Work In New Book

WESLACO—The poem, "Heaven," written by Mrs. Elizabeth Gilliland, Weslaco, has been accepted for publication in the World's Fair Anthology of Verse, and qualified in the $100 poetry contest, according to information here from Paul Emery Carter, editor.

Earlier work of Mrs. Gilliland has has appeared in such publications as Southwester, Your Mother and Mine, Southwester Anthology, Poets On Parade, and The Poetry Digest. She was included in Notable Women of the Southwest, published in 1937. She is a secretary, 20 years old, was born in Kosciusko, Miss., graduated from Weslaco high school in 1936, and attended Draughon's Business College, San Antonio, 1937.

Mission Singers To Give Program

McALLEN—The Mission High School glee club directed by Clayborne Norris will present a 40-minute musical program Sunday night at the First Baptist Church here, Rev. Henry W. Shirley, pastor, announced Saturday.

The Mission group has appeared on several occasions at church services in the Valley and has been greeted with wide approval, he added. The morning music will be in charge of William Doyle of McAllen, who directed singing at both services of the church last Sunday.

Pike Is Appointed New Bank Cashier

MERCEDES—H. M. Pike, who has been with the Hidalgo County Bank and Trust company here for the past four years, has been named cashier of the firm, O. E. VanBerg, president, announced Saturday.

Pike succeeds A. W. Lewis, cashier and director of the bank for several years, who resigned to join the C. A. Ripley vegetable firm in Mercedes. Pike formerly held the post of assistant cashier, and came to Mercedes from Weslaco.

Some men tell the truth and then try to lie out of it.

SOUTH TEXAS MEET CALLED

Regional Chamber's Board To Confer

SAN ANTONIO—Date of the annual South Texas Chamber of Commerce board of directors meeting has been set for Tuesday, May 28. It will be held in San Antonio and will begin with a noon luncheon in the Pan American room of the Gunter Hotel, Ray Leeman, executive vice president, has announced.

Annual reports of activities during the fiscal year will be made and officers and directors will be elected for the ensuing year. D. E. Blackburn, Victoria banker, is present president. Numerous new activities have been added by the regional chamber during the past year and they will be covered by reports for the first time.

A committee on declarations and resolutions has been named for the convention. Headed by J. M. Pickering, Victoria, it also includes A. Wayne Wood, Brownsville; L. Mims, Freeport; Al Buchanan, San Antonio; C. W. Miller, San Antonio;; James A. Harley, San Antonio; W. M. Griffin, Sinton and Sam Fore, Jr., Floresville.

A nominations committee also announced includes H. G. Stein, Luling; L. H. Gross, Corpus Christi, and M. L. Moody, Jr., El Campo.

Home Taxes Hit

'Unbearable Burden' Says FHA

WASHINGTON (AP)— The Federal Home Loan Bank board reported Saturday that real estate taxes had become an "unbearable burden" on the ownership of property.

The board made public a report prepared for it by F. B. Bourland, former Illinois state manager of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation, which said that taxes were a "depressant" on land value, "A deterrent to its sale and a hazard to its economic stability."

The board reported that March home financing activity totalled $300,420,000, which was 18 per cent above February and six per cent higher than March, 1939. For the first quarter, the board said the total was $818,731,000, an increase of 12 per cent over the 1939 period.

Mrs. Duddlesten Heads Willacy Group In Cancer Campaign

RAYMONDVILLE—Mrs. Karl H. Duddlesten, Raymondville, has been named captain in the Women's Field Army for Control of Cancer, and will be in charge of the enlistment campaign and cancer control work in Willacy county, according to announcement Saturday by Mrs. Volney Taylor, Brownsville, state commander, Women's Field Army.

First campaign to raise funds to aid in the cancer fight was held in Brownsville and was designated as Cancer Tag Day. Mrs. Neil Allen is chairman of the committees from various civic and literary clubs participating in the campaign.

Mercedes Observes Music Week Period

MERCEDES—Mayor D. L. Heidrick of Mercedes has designated the week of May 5-11 as National Music Week in Mercedes by issuing a proclamation, he announced Saturday.

Special church music, events in which the Mercedes Music Club will participate, and other programs are planned during the week.

HARDIN RELATIVE DIES

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. B. F. Hardin, organist at the First Methodist church of Brownsville, left Saturday for Coleman, Texas, to attend funeral services for her mother, Mrs. F. A. Murray, who died early Saturday morning.

Few men are able to retain their self-conceit after they are married.

ANOTHER VICTIM "MAD BUTCHER?"



Pittsburgh police are shown carrying one of the three multilated bodies found slain under mysterious circumstances. Belief was expressed the three men might have been victims of the "mad butcher" blamed for twelve torso slayings in Cleveland.

McAllen Seniors Pick Bloodcurdling Drama

McALLEN—Final rehearsals were under way Saturday for the McAllen Senior High school graduating class play, a bloodcurdling murder mystery entitled, "'A Murder Has Been Arranged," to be staged May 10.

Don Irwin, art and dramatic instructor, is directing the play, the first he has coached locally. Characters include Lila Beth Culwell, Clyde Walker, Betty Joe Langston, Charles Holland, Bernie Gwin, Betty Crowell, Gordon Griffin, David Calvin and Becky Clark.

The scene is laid in the ponderous, dim recesses of the St. James Theatre, London, England. Sir Charles Jasper, whose role will be filled by Griffin, has invited all his family to a dinner party in observance of a weird anniversary. That night at midnight marked the zero hour of the 50th anniversary of a murder which was committed on the same scene. According to a prophecy, the murderer would be disclosed and Sir Charles would inherit the neat sum of 2,000,000 pounds. Next in line of succession to Sir Charles is Maurice Mullins, played by David Calvin.

Uninvited Mullins comes to the party, and the show goes on from there.

Tickets are on sale and may be purchased from any member of the class or at the door the night of the play.

Talks Cancelled

Perrine Is Unable To Visit Valley

McALLEN—Nat S. Perrine, managing director of the Texas Safety Association, Inc., scheduled to make a series of talks in the Valley beginning Monday, will be unable to fulfill the engagements, Mrs. Helen Sellers, his secretary, advised McAllen Chamber of Commerce officials in a letter received Saturday.

Mrs. Sellers said Perrine must be in Dallas Monday for a committee meeting, at Houston Tuesday for a committee meeting and at Austin Thursday for an administrative committee session.

After some men get a start in life they don't know when to stop.

AIR BUSINESS TAKES JUMP

Brownsville Travel Is Up 50 Per Cent

BROWNSVILLE—Export declaradoubled, and air craft showed a huge increase here in April, according to the monthly report of U. S. customs issued Saturday.

Aircraft passengers arriving here from Latin America totaled 604 compared to 402 of April, 1939, the report showed.

While aviation boomed, the number of export declarations jumped from 504 of April, 1939, to 1,039 last month. Total entries soared from 634 to 948.

There was a total of 15,306 vehicles entering the United States at Brownsville in April with 64,780 passengers.

The vehicles included 69 freight cars, it was said.

Cold Storage Plant Discussions Slated

SAN BENITO—A discussion of merits and advantages of a cold storage plant, including the use of locker boxes for preservation of fresh meats and vegetables, will be held at the high school building at 8 p. m. Tuesday, for members of the San Benito Gin Company and their wives.

An open forum will be held following talks on the subject by a number of speakers, with questions on the matter being answered.

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We wish to express our deepest appreciation and thanks to those kind friends who extended to us many beautiful flowers and words of sympathy at the death of our beloved wife and mother, Mrs. Eva Wittenbach. Mr. C. H. Wittenbach and children, A. J. Wittenbach, C. W. Wittenbach, Hugo Wittenbach, Mrs. Ida Volkart, and Victor Estman.

1. AUTOMOBILES

1a. Autos for Sale

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1937 Plymouth Coach .. $398
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1935 Plymouth Sedan .. $278
1934 Plymouth Coach .. $178

DODGES
1936 Dodge Sedan $338
1936 Dodge Coach $328
1935 Dodge Coach $288
1934 Dodge Coach $148

CHEVROLETS
1933 Chevrolet Coupe .. $138
1933 Chevrolet Coupe .. $108
1936 Chevrolet Coupe .. $288

OTHERS
1937 Ford Deluxe 2-dr. $398
1935 Ford Coupe $268
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1936 Pontiac Sedan $298
1933 Chrysler Sedan ... $128
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Many other Cheaper Cars To Choose From

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2. BUSINESS OPPOR.

2a. Business for Sale

FOR SALE: Dine and dance business. Lease property. Also want cook. Pop and Mom's Place, Donna.

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Compare Prices & Values

1937	FORD Fordor, DeLuxe	$295
1935	OLDSMOBILE Coach	$195
1936	FORD Tudor	$295
1934	FORD Tudor	$115
1934	CHEVROLET Coupe	$115
1936	CHEVROLET Coach, Trunk	$225

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1936	CHEVROLET Pick-Up	$125
1937	FORD Pick-Up	$365
1938	FORD Pick-Up	$485
1937	CHEVROLET ½ ton Panel	$365

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1938 Oldsmobile "6" Sport Coupe, radio, new white sidewall tires $595

1939	Chevrolet Coupe, radio	$595.00
1938	Chevrolet Coupe, radio	$485.00
1938	Chevrolet Town Sedan	$545.00
1937	Oldsmobile Sedan, radio	$535.00
1937	Plymouth DeLuxe Sedan	$445.00
1937	Plymouth Coupe	$395.00
1937	Plymouth Coupe	$375.00
1938	Plymouth DeLuxe Coach	$545.00
1937	Pontiac "8" Coach, radio	$445.00
1937	Chrysler Royal Sedan	$515.00
1937	Chevrolet Town Sedan	$395.00
1936	Pontiac "6" Coupe	$245.00
1935	Ford Sedan, ONLY	$ 85.00

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A BETTER USED CAR for LESS MONEY

You can't go wrong when you save money on cars like these! Fine new models that please the eye and bank book.

'39 FORD Tudor	$595
'38 FORD Sedan	$495
'38 FORD Coupe	$475
'37 FORD Tudor	$395
'37 FORD Coupe	$375
'37 FORD "60" Coupe	$350
'37 STUDEBAKER Sedan	$425
'37 CHEVROLET Tudor Trunk	$425
'36 FORD Tudor	$275
'35 FORD TUDOR	$175
'35 FORD Station Wagon, New motor	$295
'34 FORD Tudor	$145

These are Only a Few of the Big Bargains Now at.....

PIPKIN-MANSKE MOTORS
BROWNSVILLE

1. AUTOMOBILES **1. AUTOMOBILES**

1a. Autos for Sale **1a. Autos for Sale**

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On The High Prices of
USED CARS

Our Cars have been BLITZKREIGED. . . shattering all existing prices with a lightning attack from land and air . . . check these demolished prices . . . for the best Used Car Buys in the Valley.

1938	STUDEBAKER, Commander Sedan	$545
1937	FORD STATION WAGON	$545
1939	CHEVROLET, DeLuxe Coupe	$595
1937	FORD DeLuxe Tudor	$395
1937	CHEVROLET DeLuxe Coach	$395
1936	CHEVROLET DeLuxe Coach	$295
1936	FORD Tudor with Trunk	$345
1936	DODGE Sedan	$345
1935	ODGE Sedan	$295
1934	DESOTO 4-Pasenger Coupe	$195
1934	CHRYSLER Sedan	$195
1932	CHEVROLET Coach	$ 95

Boggus Motor Sales
1621 Hiway McAllen Phone 84

Look!

HERE'S YOUR CAR!

'37 BUICK Fordor—6 wheel	$495
'38 DODGE 4 door Sedan	$465
'37 INTERNATIONAL dual-wheel chassis	$300
'37 DODGE Truck	$425
'35 FORD Fordor	$265

'36 CHEVROLET Sedan. In perfect condition. Runs & looks like new!
'38 DODGE Truck. A serviceable dependable truck that's a real bargain!
'35 CHRYSLER Sedan. A car that you can't afford to over-look! See this one.
'35 CHRYSLER Sedan. Ask to see a car economically priced and good, and we'll show you this one!
'35 OLDSMOBILE DeLuxe Fordor. Radio. New tires. In fact, everything that a Real Bargain implies.

30 Other Bargains to choose from. Now is the time to buy a Used Car that is reasonably priced and at the same time mechanically checked!

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"YOUR OLDSMOBILE DEALER"
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BETTER CARS AT BETTER PRICES

1939	CHEVROLET Coach, radio 17,000 actual miles	$695
1939	CHEVROLET Master DeLuxe Coach, radio	$695
	CHRYSLER Air-Flow Sedan, latest series, new tires, puncture-proof tubes	$795

1939 Ford Tudor ..... $595 1937 Chevrolet Coach .. $445

FERGUSON MOTOR COMPANY
CHRYSLER—PLYMOUTH
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2. BUSINESS OPPOR.

2a. Business for Sale

FOR SALE: Grocery Store—A-1 location. Profitable, fast growing section. Selling on account of illness. Mother and son could handle. Cash deal or mostly cash and part clear property at actual value. A. G. Nagel, P. O. Box 986, McAllen.

2c. Business Wanted

WANTED: Established Ice-cream business. Anywhere in Valley. Address Box: B-139, Star Office, Harlingen.

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4. BUSINESS SERVICES

4e. Florist, Nurseries

ROSES, 35c dozen. Easter lilies, 60c dozen. Gladoli. Free delivery. Tropical Nursery, telephone 185-J, Brownsville.

4m. Insurance

W. B. CLINT Agency, Insurance. 429 12th. Protect yourself now with Fire, Automobile, Windstorm Insurance. Brownsville.

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SEE THE new L. C. Smith with automatic margin set. Smith Typewriter Exchange. Rents - service Brownsville.

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1a. Autos for Sale

Look!

1939 Plymouth DeLuxe sedan radio, very low mileage $745

1939 CHRYSLER Royal Sedan overdrive and radio $645

1937 DeSOTO Sedan Exceptionally clean throughout. $445

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Chrysler - Plymouth
Sales - Service
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McALLEN

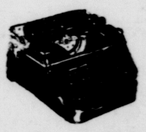
1i. Trailors For Sale

HOUSE TRAILER: Sturdily built completely furnished. 406 East Monroe street, Harlingen.

4. BUSINESS SERVICES

4o. Typewriter Rep..Serv.

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WOMEN—Do you want a baby? Dr. Will Elders Products, Incorporated, Suite 1223 Schneider Bldg., St. Joseph, Missouri, will send you a treatise explaining Dr. Elders prescriptions for sterility due to certain forms of functional weakness. It will be sent free of charge, in plain wrapper. Write today.

6. EMPLOYMENT

6a. Help Wanted—Male

Wanted
Good New & Used
Car Salesman
Wroten Motor Co.
Phone 11 Harlingen

YOUNG MAN 20 to 40. Good education, car necessary. Excellent pay. Rapid advancement. Beginning in sales department. Box 1134, Harlingen.

SCHOOL BOYS wanted for routes in Hidalgo county towns. Write Circulation Department, Brownsville Herald, Brownsville .

RELIABLE MAN take care store route. New plan of distribution. No selling. Earn excellent weekly income. B. and W. Nut Co., St. Paul, Minn.

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6b. Help Wanted—Female

FREE DRESSES for yourself and up to $22 weekly showing famous Fashion Frocks. Not house to house. No investment. Write fully giving age and dress size. FASHION FROCKS, Dept. V-7307, Cincinnati, O.

HOUSEKEEPER: Light work, no laundry, room furnished. Box 591, McAllen.

CAR HOP WANTED: Girl or boy. Apply at The Vermillion, or telephone 9534, Brownsville

4. BUSINESS SERVICES **4. BUSINESS SERVICES**

4a. Beauty Shops **4a. Beauty Shops**



All Branches Of Beauty Culture
Are Expertly Taught
In The Curriculum of
"HOLTRYS" COLLEGE OF BEAUTY CULTURE
—VALLEY'S LEADING BEAUTY SCHOOL—

Holtry's Prestige and ethical reputation are the results of strict adherence to the teaching task. Every fundamental and artistic phase of Beauty Culture is taught by master beauticians. Individual instructions speeds your way to complete mastery of every detail in the thorough Holtry Curriculum.

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BRUSH-UPS FOR PROFESSIONALS
Instructors are in demand at good salaries.



— TUITION $2.00 WEEKLY—
"HOLTRY'S"
College Of Beauty Culture
Harlingen

7. INSTRUCTIONS

7b. Schools, Colleges

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3. WORK WANTED

8a. Situations Wanted

HEALTHY, young, married white man d ires any kind of work. Address Box B-114, Star, Harlingen.

Cooperating with the Employment Committee of the American Legion, the Valley Morning Star is contributing the space below in an effort to help find employment for heads of families in the Valley.

VETERANS AVAILABLE FOR EMPLOYMENT
Occupational Classification

No. 1 Truck driver, Foreman—labor gang, Tractor operator.
No. 2 Painter—House, Glazier, Spray— gun painter.
No. 3 Engineer—operator ice machinery.
No. 4 Operator grader, Laborer—construction, Truck driver, Tractor operator.
No. 5 Operator—tractor, Grader operator, Mover—furniture, Laborer—construction.

9. FINANCIAL

9a. Real Estate Loans

Loans
F.H.A. and Commercial Loans
R. N. Jones
217 Emsee Bldg. Phone 414
Harlingen

9b. Auto Loans

AUTOMOBILE LOANS
Refinancing
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LOANS



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2. DIRECT LOAN SERVICE. Refinancing to reduce payments, Refinancing to furnish additional cash.
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Since 1928
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9. FINANCIAL

9a. Real Estate Loans

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To Build,
Refinance
And Repair.
GUNN INSURANCE AGENCY
1312 Beaumont Avenue
McAllen

9c. Personal Loans

$5 to $50.00
AUTO PERSONAL
Loans in 30 Minutes
Magnolia Finance Co.
117½ W. Jackson Phone 1068
Harlingen

10. FOR SALE

10a. Household Goods

FOR SALE: Several Good used Ice Boxes. One second-hand Briggs-Stratton 5-8 horse power motor—$12.50. One second-hand electric Washing Machine—Runs Good—$12.50. Several Good used Battery radios — $3.00 — up — without Battery. Sears Roebuck & Co., Harlingen.

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10b. Musical Goods

USED GRAND PIANO
Rare Bargain, if taken at once. H. K. Wellburn, Credit Department
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10c. For Sale. Misc.

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1940 ALLIS CHALMERS W. C. Tractor on rubber with full equipment. Cost $1535.00 sixty days ago. Owe $1225.00. Will sell to someone taking over balance due. Inquire N. I. Koppell, phone 372, Harlingen.

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For Sale
At Bargain Prices

New Elevator Potato Diggers.
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PHILLIPS
LUMBER YARD
San Benito, Texas

10e. Radio Repairs. Equip.

RADIO SERVICE: Free inspection, satisfaction guaranteed. Phil Amsler, 2123 17th street, Victoria Heights, phone 178, Brownsville.

Self-interest has shattered many a man's lofty ideals.

9. FINANCIAL

9b Auto Loans

AUTO LOANS



We Offer
A Friendly
Loan
Service
For The
Entire Valley

When you buy a car be fair to Valley business .... Finance it through a LOCAL Finance Company.

In doing this you not only help the Valley, but are helping yourself. If at sometime during the term of your loan you need a favor you can come nearer getting it through a local firm.

We Make Loans For The Purchase Of

New and Used Cars
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Friendly LOANS

If you own an automobile we'll loan you any amount up to $200.00. Easy repayment terms . . . Strictly confidential dealings . . . See us today.

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10c. For Sale, Misc.

10. FOR SALE



We specialize in the manufacture of TANKS. Any size, for any purpose.

Valley Blacksmith & Welding Shop
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10h. Machinery, Equipment

LARGE BUTCHER COOLER: 8x12, and compressor. Complete bargain for quick sale. Ed Friedrick Sales Corp., 600 Ash ave., McAllen. C. P. Samson.

11. LIVESTOCK

11a. Dogs, Cats, Pets

MOTHER'S DAY GIFT
Mother would enjoy a beautiful CANARY. We have some fine Singers in full song. Also Finches, Parrakeets and Love Birds.
JORDAN'S BOARDING KENNELS
First House west of Fair Park
Harlingen

CHAMPION BRED English Bull Terrier (not Pit). Perfect type. Only one this breed in South Texas. Affectionate. Terrific watch and guard. Age two years. A spectacular dog. Ray S. Wait, phone 7, Port Isabel.

11b. Horses, Cattle

FIVE-YEAR-OLD riding horse and saddle for sale. 1514 Cleveland, phone 745, Brownsville.

Good
Brahma Bulls
For Sale
Yearlings and Twos
17 Head
O. D. Sevier
Parker's Sale Yard
Harlingen

11c. Poultry, Supulies

BABY CHICKS: Started chicks. All from blood-tested stock of high vitality. Only hatchery in the Valley with trap nest breeding farm. FISHER POULTRY FARM AND HATCHERY, Raymondville.

BARGAIN SUMMER PRICES: Largest production sexed pullets and males and R.O.P. sired chicks in southwest. R.O.P. sires out of 232-312 egg hens. Catalog Free. DIXIE POULTRY FARMS, Box 204, Brenham, Texas.

14. RENTALS

14a. Apartments

FOR RENT: Furnished apartment—bills paid. 605 East Jackson. Phone 306-J, Harlingen.

SMALL APARTMENT: Private bath, with or without Frigidaire. Innerspring mattress. All bills paid. 302 East Harrison, Harlingen.

FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED apartments, houses. Desirable bedrooms. Listings appreciated. Mrs. J. L. Swann, phone 1169-W Harlingen.

CLEAN THREE-ROOM modernistic attic apartment. Cool, fully insulated. Located at 1010 East Madison. Phone 142, George H. Beck Lumber Co., or 289-W, Harlingen.

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NICELY FURNISHED three-room Duplex. Good location, cool and desirable. Electrolux, garage. Phone 704-M, Harlingen.

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GLENWOOD APARTMENTS: Block from post office. Nicely furnished, utilities paid. Rates moderate. Telephone 1512, Brownsville.

INQUIRE ABOUT our low summer rates at Palm Courts. Cool cottages, private bath, private garage. Brownsville.

14b. Rooms

ROOM FOR RENT: 413 East Monroe. Private entrance. Cool Southwest exposure. Harlingen.

ROOMS FOR young men. Garage. Electric fan. Outside entrance. Two blocks from town. 200 South 12th street, McAllen.

NICELY FURNISHED light housekeeping room. Innerspring mattress. 723 Elizabeth street, Brownsville.

14c. Houses

FOR RENT: Nicely furnished 5-room home on North 16th street, McAllen. Call 1066, McAllen.

HOUSE FOR RENT: 409 East Jackson. Five rooms. Call 6010-F-31, Harlingen.

16. REAL ESTATE

16a. Houses for Sale

We Are Selling
HOMES

At liquidating prices in these cities throughout the Valley: Harlingen, McAllen, Brownsville, San Benito, La Feria, Weslaco, Donna, Pharr, Alamo, San Juan and Edinburg. IF YOU WOULD BUY A HOME IT WOULD BE TO YOUR INTEREST TO INVESTIGATE THE DEAL WE CAN OFFER.

PENRY & POWERS
112 S. 1st. Phone 445

14. RENTALS

14c. Houses

SEVEN ROOM BRICK home. Beautifully furnished. Tile floored, kitchen, three porches and bath. Lovely yard. 321 West Filmore, phone 1040, Harlingen.

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FURNISHED HOUSE, four bedrooms. Available May 15. 241 Washington. Telephone 436 for information. Brownsville.

NEWLY PAPERED two-room unfurnished house in rear, with shower. 213 East Monroe, Harlingen.

14d. Room and Board

SPECIAL LUNCH 25c drink included. Johnson's Air-Conditioned Cafe. 210 W. Jackson. Harlingen

ROOM WITH BOARD or without it. Garage. 32 Southeast Adams, telephone 954, Brownsville.

14e. Business Properties

GARAGE FOR RENT: 250 North Austin. San Benito. Call San Benito, 818.

16. REAL ESTATE

16a. Houses for Sale

GENERAL INSURANCE
THOS. R. JOSEPH
FHA LOANS—REAL ESTATE
Embee Bldg. Harlingen
Phone 534 or 845

6-ROOM RESIDENCE

Near High School, Washington St. Priced to sell—$2,000; $600 cash, balance $25 per month, including interest and taxes.

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NEW F.H.A. 6-room brick East Van Buren St. near high school, a real buy, small down payment, monthly payments less than rent.

Folks, just follow our list from day to day. See them drop from our ads; we are selling them. If you want to buy, call 139; if you want to sell, call 139.

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Harlingen, Texas

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$500.00 cash buys large lot well located in Los Ebanos.

$750.00 buys 3 acres close in on Boca Chica highway with city water, electricity, telephone and school bus facilities available. 130 feet of pavement frontage and resaca at back.

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16. REAL ESTATE

16a. Houses for Sale

PROPERTY PRICED TO SELL—CHEAPER THAN DIRT

4-room frame house combined with double garage on corner lot, close in. Rents for $16.00. Just $1250—easy terms.

5-room stucco house, bath, newly reconditioned and repainted, garage, close in—original cost $2750. Price now $1500. Easy terms.

5-room frame house, bath, good condition, garage, corner lot. Rent $20.00. Price now $2150. Easy terms.

6-room frame house, bath, garage, fine condition. Shade tree on front and side. Carpet grass lawn, lots of shrubbery. Worth $3000.00. Price for quick sale, $2250. Good terms. Special sale suitable R. R. People.

4-room frame house, bath, garage, almost acre. Plenty shrubbery. Priced at sacrifice to sell.

10 acres, 5-room frame house, garage and feed shed combined, well water, bale cotton per acre. Price now $2000.00.

20 acres, 6-room house, garage, well water, 3-acre grove, all in crop now. Worth $4000. Price for immediate sale, $2500. Good terms.

SEE
TOM BOWMAN
Real Estate Agent
Office Gilbert Hotel Harlingen

16b. Lots for Sale

BARGAIN: Lot in Los Ebanos—lot 11, Block 12, on Acacia avenue. Write Post Office Box 81, Brownsville.

16c. Farms, Ranches

FOR SALE
Ranches, Dry Land Farms
Irrigated Farms
Lake Front Homesites
LLOYD PARKER
OLMITO, TEXAS

16e. For Sale or Trade

TRADE PROPERTY at Kerrville for property anywhere. Night club on pavement and river. Large home on one acre. Small furnished home. 1600-acre hunting preserve. 950-acre stock farm. Several others. Write John Furman, Kerrville.

16i. Land for Trade

RARE BARGAIN: Improved 20 acres, over half in grove. Good buildings. Three miles from Port Brownsville. Write Box 29, c-o Herald, Brownsville.

17. NOTICES

17a. Announcements

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Under this heading are published the names of candidates for public office. The fees for this service can be obtained at the Brownsville Herald office.

Names of candidates will be carried in the announcement column until the July Primary.

Valley Sunday Star-Monitor-Herald is authorized to make the following announcements of candidates subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July.

For District Attorney:
ROY A. SCOTT, Corpus Christi
W. B. WEAVER, Corpus Christi.

For Sheriff:
WILL CABLER, Brownsville.

17d Professional Notices

DR. A. L. PLECKER, chiropractor, has moved his office from Cromack Building to Woolworth Building, Brownsville.

DR. D. C. ROUGEOU
DENTIST
209-210 Baxter Bldg.
HARLINGEN, TEXAS
Telephone—Harlingen 1467

17e. Travel Opportunities

ROOM FOR two passengers to Los Angeles. Good car. Leaving June 5. Call Biggs Auto Storage—771, Harlingen.

McALLEN REYNOSA BUS LINE

McALLEN to REYNOSA	
8:30 A.M.	2:00 P.M.
10:00 A.M.	4:00 P.M.
12:00 A.M.	6:00 P.M.
	8:00 P.M.
Saturday and Sunday	11:00 P.M.
REYNOSA to McALLEN	
7:50 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
9:00 A.M.	3:00 P.M.
11:00 A.M.	5.00 P.M.
	7:00 P.M.
Saturday and Sunday	11:30 P.M.

17f. Cafe and Hotels

WHITE KITCHEN
419 Twelfth Street
BUSINESS LUNCHES
Private dining room Serving the Valley for over ten years.
BROWNSVILLE

17. NOTICES

17e. Travel Opportunities

HAVE PRIVATELY owned cars listed for clubs, teachers, students, conventions. Anywhere. Room for two, San Angelo, 6 and 10. Share expenses basis. Box 64, Phone 9523, 600 West 9th street, Mission.

17f. Cafe and Hotels

NOW OPEN
$2.50 PER WEEK
Guest Laundry Free!
MILNER HOTEL
Formerly Riverside Hotel
Levee and 13th Phone 481
BROWNSVILLE

19. LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE.

The Commissioner's Court of Cameron County, Texas, will convene and sit as a Board of Equalization on Monday the 13th day of May, A. D. 1940, at 10 o'clock A. M., to receive all the assessment lists and books of Ralph T. Agar, Tax Assessor-Collector of Cameron County, Texas, for the year 1940, for inspection, correction or equalization and approval.

H. D. Seago, Clerk of the County Court and ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of Cameron County, Texas.

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COTTON

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK—(AP)—Late buying of cotton futures stemmed declining tendencies Saturday and left final prices 2 points lower to 5 higher.

Most important weekend factor, brokers said, was the government weather forecast for generally fair conditions in cotton growing states throughout next week. Above normal temperatures were rated favorable and attracted speculative and professional selling.

Last-minute demand from spot houses, however, outweighed the liquidation and prices of distant positions turned abruptly upward as offerings dwindled.

At the close, observers noted, prices were off more than a dollar a bale from mid-week largely, they said, because of favorable crop indications.

At the opening Saturday the market followed the lower prices set by Bombay and declined a few points on foreign and southern pressure.

Worth Street reported disappointing textile business for the week. Only limited sales were made to converters and little interest was shown by other sections of the trade. Underlying sentiment remained cheerful, nevertheless, and prices hld firm.

Exports Friday 34 bales; season so far 5,915,005. Port receipts 3,406; port stocks 2,661,357.

SPOT COTTON

GALVESTON—(AP)—Spot cotton closed steady, 2 down.

Low ordinary 7.14; ordinary 7.84; good ordinary 8.54; strict good ordinary 9.04; low middling 9.54; strict low middling 10.09; middling 10.54; strict middling 10.84; good middling 10.94; strict good middling 10.99; middling fair 11.04.

Sales spots none; FOB 18.

MIDDLING COTTON

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—The average price of middling 15-16 inch cotton at 10 designated southern spot markets Saturday was 3 lower at 10.57 cents a pound. Average for the past 30 market days was 10.61. Middling 1⅛ inch average was 10.39 cents a pound.

SPOT COTTON

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—Spot cotton closed quiet, 3 lower. Sales 7,21; low middling 9.70, Middling 10.70; good middling 11.15. Receipts 2,486, stock 668,120.

COTTON FUTURES

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—Cotton futures were quiet and irregular here Saturday. Closing prices were steady 3 points net lower to 1 higher.

	Open	High	Low	Close	
May	10.80	10.80	10.78	10.78N	..
July	10.51	10.52	10.50	10.50	— 3
Oct.	10.00	10.03	9.99	10.03	+ 1
Dec.	9.[illegible]	9.87	9.84	9.87	+ 1
Jan.	9.72B	....	....	9.81B	..
March	9.70	9.71	9.67	9.72B	..
May (1941)	9.60B	....	....	....	..

B—Bid; N—Nominal.

METALS

NEW YORK—(AP)—Copper steady; electrolytic spot, Conn. Valley, 11.12½-50; export FAS NY 11.10. Tin steady; spot and nearby 47.25; forward 47.00. Lead steady; spot, New York 5.10-15; East St. Louis 4.95. Zinc steady; East St. Louis spot and forward 5.75. Others unchanged.

BOSTON WOOL

BOSTON—(AP)—(U. S. D. A.)—The wool market in Boston during the past week was less active than in the previous week. The recent advances in prices that have been established on a few of the more active grades of domestic wools were maintained, but during the past week it became increasingly difficult to secure the advanced prices. Most of the limited volume of business was on wools that sell in the original bags without grading. Graded combing bright fleece wools were quoted mostly 33 to 34 cents, in the grease, for fine delaine, 34 to 35 cents for half bloods and 36 to 37 cents for three eighths and quarter bloods.

Court Records

HIDALGO COUNTY
Warranty Deeds

William Garrell et ux to J. A. Jautsch, Lot 1, Blk. 44 of the Alamo townsite.

Floyd D. Williamson et ux to J. L. Corbin, Farm Lot 15, Section 93 of Turner Tract containing 40 acres.

Carricitos Oil Corporation to Floyd D. Williamson et ux, Farm Lot 15, Section 93 of Turner Tract containing 40 acres.

City of Edinburg to Kathryn McMillon, Lot 6, Blk. 191 of Edinburg.

Amado Delgado et ux to Apolinar Delgado, Lot 10, Blk. 156 of Edinburg.

Wells L. Springfield et ux to H. C. Alston, Lots 7, 8 and 9 of Jones Subdivision of Acre Blk. 154 of the Original townsite of Mercedes.

L. L. Rowan to Andrew Ostrum, A tract out of the S 10.45 acres of the N 35.45 acres of Lot 15, Section 275 Texas Mexican Railway Company's Survey.

George H. Young et ux to Fidelity Investment Company of McAllen, Inc., Lot 132 of Bentsen Groves.

Fidelity Investment Co. to George H. Young, The S ½ of Lot 318 and the N ½ of Lot 316 of Bentsen Groves Subdivision.

E. D. Mathis individually and as trustee to Albert Dillard Dean, Jr. Lot 2, Blk. 4 of Hampshire Homes Sub of McAllen.

Paradise

Mexican Fishing Said To Wow Angler

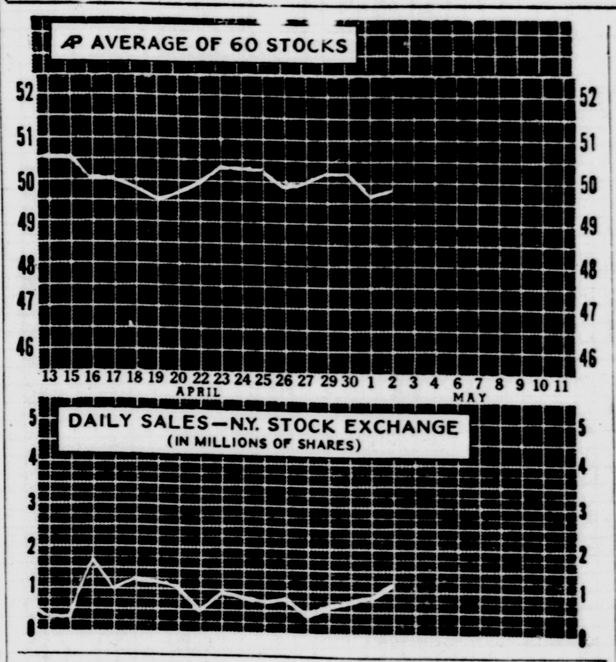
BROWNSVILLE—The fishing at Soto La Marina, Mexico, is continuing to attract American anglers, and hunting prospects appear better than ever.

J. H. Batsell, Brownsville, Saturday received a letter from W. W. Searchy, Jr., New Braunfels, praising the Mexican fishing and hunting paradise.

Searcy said he's going back to Soto La Marina in June and November. The fishing, he explained, is "usually good, especially pike."

As for hunting, there's a "world of deer, turkey, ducks, quail, pigeons and cats," he added. He was one of a score of Americans visiting there recently. Reds and trout were also hooked.

DAY'S NEWS OF NATION'S MARKETS



STOCK LIST

	Trade in 100	High	Low	Close
Al Chm&Dye	2	179	179	179
Allis Ch Mfg	7	33⅞	33	33
Am Rad&St S	3	8	8	8
Am Roll Mill	6	15	14¾	14¾
Am Smelt&R	3	49⅛	48¾	48¾
Am Tel&Tel	5	174⅛	173¾	174
Am Wat Wks	7	10	9⅞	10
Am Woolen	1	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛
Am Zinc L&S	3	7	6⅞	7
Anaconda	4	29½	29¼	29¼
Atch T&SF	4	22⅛	21¾	21¾
Atl Refin	64	25⅛	24¾	24⅞
Aviation Corp	25	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
Barnsdall Oil	9	11⅛	11	11
Bendix Aviat	2	33⅜	33⅜	33⅜
Beth Steel	37	85	83½	84
Borden	1	23¼	23¼	23¼
Budd Wheel	3	5⅜	5½	5½
Ch'han Z-Lead	6	1½	1⅜	1½
Cerro de Pas	4	36	35½	35½
C-Teed Prod	3	6⅜	6½	6⅜
Chrysler Corp	8	86⅜	85¾	85¾
Colum G&El	35	6⅜	6⅛	6⅛
Coml Solv	10	14½	14¼	14¼
Cmwlth&Sou	18	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Consol Oil	48	7½	7¼	7⅜
Cont Can	4	45¾	45½	45½
Cont Oil Del	7	23¾	23⅝	23⅝
Corn Prod	3	59⅞	59⅞	59⅞
Curtis Wri	120	10⅞	10¾	10¾
Douglas Airc	12	90	89½	89⅞
Du Pont De N	14	187	186½	186½
El Auto Lite	12	40	39¼	39¼
El Pow&Lt	18	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜
Freeport Slph	2	37⅛	37	37
Gen Elec	23	36⅜	36¼	36¼
Gen Foods	10	49	48⅞	49
Gen Motors	9	54⅝	54⅛	54⅛
Goodrich	5	16½	16½	16½
Gdyear	3	20⅞	20¾	20¾
Gt Nth Ry Pf	3	26½	26¼	26½
Houd Hersh B	1	14¼	14¼	14¼
Houston Oil	5	6	5⅞	5⅞
Howe Sound	4	43¼	43	43¼
Hudson Mot	2	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜
Hupp Motor	4	⅝	⅝	⅝
Int Harvest	4	57	56⅝	57
Johns Manv	2	70½	70	70
Kenne Cop	13	34½	34⅜	34½
Lockheed Airc	9	38¼	37⅞	38⅛
Loews Inc	4	34	33½	33½
Lorillard	10	24⅜	24⅜	24⅜
Mid Cont Pet	19	16¼	15⅝	16¼
Mo Kan Tex	1	⅝	⅝	⅝
Montg Ward	83	45⅝	45	45¼
Nash Kelvin	23	5⅞	5⅝	5⅞
Nat Biscuit	18	22⅞	22⅝	22⅝
Nat Dairy Pr	8	17⅞	17⅝	17⅝
Nat Distill	5	24⅞	24⅞	24⅞
Nat P&L	9	8	8	8
N Y Cen RR	5	15½	15⅜	15⅜
Nor Amer Co	15	22½	22⅜	22⅜
Northern Pac	6	8¼	8¼	8¼
Ohio Oil	23	8½	8⅜	8⅜
Pac Gas&El	2	33¼	33	33
Packard Mot	25	3¼	3¼	3¼
Pan Am Air	24	22⅜	22¼	22¼
Pnhndle P&R	3	⅞	⅞	⅞
Penney (JC)	3	95¾	95½	95¾
Penn RR	6	21⅞	21⅝	21⅝
Petrol Corp	1	8	8	8
Phelps Dodge	9	34½	34½	34½
Phillips Pet	6	39⅝	39¼	39¼
Pub Svc NJ	1	41¾	41¾	41¾
Pullman	9	24½	24	24
Pure Oil	19	10⅞	10⅝	10⅞
R C A	18	6½	6⅜	6½
R K O	4	1	1	1
Reming Rand	3	9¾	9¼	9¾
Repub Steel	7	20⅞	20⅜	20⅜
Sears Roeb	1	85½	85½	85½
Servel Inc	1	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜
Simmons Co	1	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝
Socony Vac	34	11	10⅞	10⅞
Southern Pac	2	12¼	12	12
Southern Ry	4	15⅜	15⅜	15⅜
Stand Brands	29	7¼	7¼	7¼
Stand Oil Cal	12	22⅛	22	22
Stand Oil Ind	8	28	28	28
Stand Oil NJ	19	42⅜	42⅜	42⅜
Stdbkr Corp	15	10⅜	10¼	10⅜
Tex&Pac	2	11	11	11
Texas Corp	11	46⅜	46	46⅜
Tex Gulf Prod	1	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞
Tex Gf Sulph	4	35	34⅞	35
Tex Pac C&O	1	7⅜	7⅜	7⅜
Tid Wat A Oil	15	11⅞	11⅞	11⅞
Trns&Wst Air	2	18⅞	18⅞	18⅞
Un Carbide	6	81⅜	81¼	81⅜
United Aire	7	48⅜	48¼	48⅜
United Corp	6	2¼	2¼	2¼
United Drug	2	6¼	6¼	6¼
Un Gas Imp	10	12⅜	12¼	12⅜
US Rubber	13	29⅝	29¼	29¼
U S Steel	49	60½	59⅜	60
Walgreen Co	1	23	23	23
Warner Bros	3	3⅛	3¼	3⅛
West Un	1	21⅜	21¼	21⅜
White Mot	1	12¾	12⅜	12¾
Wilson&Co	7	6¾	6⅝	6⅝
Woolworth	7	40	39⅜	39⅜

FRUIT AND VEGETABLE MARKETS

VALLEY CARLOT SHIPMENTS FOR FRIDAY

Grapefruit 2, Beets 5, Beets and Carrots 9, Cabbage 1, Carrots 5, Green Corn 1, Potatoes 7, Mixed Vegetables 7, total 37 cars.

Totals to Date This Season by Rail and Boat: Grapefruit 11,204, Oranges 872, Mixed Citrus 903, Lemons 2, Mixed Fruit and Vegetables 123, Beans 3, Beets 508, Beets and Carrots 487, Broccoli 129, Cabbage 3190, Kraut Cabbage 35, Carrots 1066, Corn Green 1, Dandelion 2, Endive 11, Escarole 1, Frozen Beans 1, Frozen Peas 5, Frozen Vegetables 1, Greens 6, Lettuce 1, Onions 29, Parsley 133, Peas 107, Peppers 136, Potatoes 963, Radishes 26, Rhubarb 1, Spinach 18, Squash 2, Tomatoes 585, Mixed Vegetables 6490, total 27,041.

To the Same Date Last Season: Citrus Fruits 17014, Vegetables 11434, Mixed Fruit and Vegetables 84, total 28362 cars.

VALLEY TRUCK CITRUS SHIPMENTS FRIDAY
(12 Trucks)

Grapefruit: 80 lb Boxes 1940, Bushels 5. Oranges: 80 lb Boxes 407, Bushels 58.

Carlot Equiv May 3: Grapefruit 4.9. Oranges 1.1, Tangerines 0, total 6.0 cars.

Carlot Equiv to Date: Grapefruit 6397.5. Oranges 3971.4, Tangerines 113.1, total 10482.0 cars.

Carlot Equiv to Date Last Season: Grapefruit 4968.0, Oranges 4623.6, total 9592.6 cars.

FLORIDA TRUCK CITRUS SHIPMENTS REPORTED FOR FRIDAY

Carlot Equiv May 3: Grapefruit 7, Oranges 23, Tangerines 0, total 30 cars.

AVERAGE AUCTION PRICES OF GRAPEFRUIT SOLD AND UNREPORTED FRIDAY

CLEVELAND: Fla Marsh 1204 Boxes Gen Avg 2.47, High 2.57, Low 2.28.

Ariz Marsh 452 Boxes Gen Avg 2.62, Range 2.50 to 2.62.

NEW YORK: Texas Pinks 36 Boxes All sold at 2.45.

Fla Marsh 3080 Boxes Gen Avg 2.14, High 2.73, Low 1.65.

Fla Other 1110 Boxes Gen Avg 2.06, High 2.75, Low 1.66.

Fla Marsh 1110 wire Boxes Gen Avg 1.74, High 2.14, Low 1.43.

Fla Other 2070 wire Boxes Gen Avg 1.15, High 1.39, Low 91c.

HOUSTON PASSINGS OF TEXAS CITRUS REPORTED MAY 2 AND 3 FOR THE PREVIOUS 48 HOURS

May 2: Grapefruit: 3 St. Louis; 1 each Cleveland, Pittsburgh, Tulsa.

May 3: Grapefruit: 3 St. Louis; 1 Chicago.

LIVESTOCK

TEXAS LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Cattle, salable 150, total 350; calves, salable 50, total 200. Top beef steers 10.50, yearlings 11.00, heifers 10.50, practical top beef cows 7.00 and bulls 6.50.

Hogs, salable 200, total 350; top 6.00, packing sows steady at 4.75-5.00.

Sheep, salable 600, total 900; bulk medium to good spring lambs 8.00-8.25; clipped two year old wethers 6.00 down.

KANSAS LIVESTOCK

KANSAS CITY—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Hogs. Salable 35, total 35; not enough offered to test values; late top 5.85.

Cattle: Salable 75, total 125; calves salable 25, total 25; week's tops: Choice 1188 lb steers 11.40; choice 1434 lb weights 11.00; same price for choice heifers and mixed yearlings; good cows 8.00; practical top vealers 10.50; short yearling stockers 11.00; bulk fed steers 8.50-10.75; medium to choice stockers 8.50-10.50.

Sheep: Salable none, total 250; no wooled lambs or wooled sheep offered; choice closely sorted 74 lb-88 lb native springers 11.15; others mainly 10.75-11.00; bulk good to choice 75-86 lb Arizona springers 10.75-11.00; best 84 lb clipped lambs 9.35; good to choice Arizona shorn ewes 4.75.

DENVER LIVESTOCK

DENVER—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Cattle salable 50; total 150; beef steers steady to 15 lower at 8.50-10.15 flat and 9.00-11.25 freight paid; mixed yearlings 9.25-10.15; calves and vealers strong, best vealers 12.00-50; 500 lb heifers 9.65.

Hogs salable 60; total 1,200; quotations nominally steady; compared Friday last week, butchers and sows 35-40 lower; stock pigs steady to strong.

Sheep salable 3,600; total 5,775; 6 loads good to choice fed wooled lambs 10.00-25 freight paid; 1 short load 9.75 flat; week's top California springers 11.00; week's top fed wooled 10.35 freight paid; bulk 10.0025 freight paid and 10.00-25 memo; fed shorn lambs 9.00-20 memo and 9.25 freight paid.

OKLAHOMA LIVESTOCK

OKLAHOMA CITY—(AP)—(U. S. D. A.)—Cattle salable and total, 100; calves 50; for the week: Beef steers and yearlings generally firm. Week's prices: beef steers few medium and good grades 9.00-10.00; good and choice yearlings 10.00-50; good yearling heifers 9.50-10.00; vealer top 10.00; stocker steer calves up to 11.00.

Hogs salable 125, total 200; late top to shippers and city butchers 6.00; packing sows 4.75-5.50; stock pigs 3.50-4.00.

Sheep, salable and total 800; for week: fat lambs steady to 25 higher; late top spring lambs 10.25; bulk good and choice lots 9.75-10.25; old crop wooled lambs 9.25 down; clippers 8.50; yearlings to 7.75; fat ewes to 4.00.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE MARKET

NEW YORK—(AP)—The foreign exchange market closed Saturday with lower prices for most currencies and considerable nervousness over possible weekend developments abroad.

Closing rates follow (Great Britain in dollars, others in cents.)

Canada

Official Canadian control board rates for U. S. dollars: buying 10 percent premium, selling 11 percent premium, equivalent to discounts on Canadian dollars in New York of buying 9.91 percent, selling 9.09 percent.

Canadian dollar in New York open market 15¼ percent discount or 84.25 U. S. cents.

Europe

Great Britain, demand 3.46½, cables 3.47¼, 60 day 3.44½, 90 day 3.43¼, Belgium 16.81, Denmark unquoted, Finland 1.90N, France 1.97, Germany 40.20N (benevolent) 16.50, Greece .66½, Hungary 17.65N, Italy 5.05, Netherlands 53.09, Norway unquoted, Portugal 3.50N, Rumania .55N, Sweden 23.83N, Switzerland 22.42½, Yugoslavia 2.34N.

Latin America

Argentina official 29.77, free 23.00, Brazil official 6.05, free 5.10; Mexico 16.75N.

Far East

Japan 23.48, Hongkong 21.66, Shanghai 4.80.

(Rates in spot cables unless otherwise indicated, N—Nominal)

FORT WORTH PASSINGS OF TEXAS CITRUS REPORTED MAY 4 FOR THE PREVIOUS 24 HOURS

Grapefruit: 1 Tulsa.

VEGETABLES

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR MAY 3

Lower Rio Grande Valley:

Carrots: Demand slow, market about steady. Straight and mixed cars f.o.b. usual terms; few sales, L. A. crates, 6 dozen bunches, $1.25-1.40, half crates, 4 dozen bunches mostly 85c; straight and mixed cars f.o.b. cash track; few, 75-85c. Top ice extra.

Beets: Demand slow, market slightly weaker. Half crates, 3 dozen bunches, straight and mixed cars f.o.b. usual terms 65-70c; straight and mixed cars f.o.b. cash track: 60-65c. Top ice extra.

Laredo District—Texas:

Onions: Heavy wire inquiry. Demand good, market steady. 50 lb sacks, US Commercial, 80% or more US No. 1 quality and US 1s, carloads f.o.b. usual terms: Yellow Bermudas, $1.85-1.95; carloads f.o.b. cash track: Yellow Bermudas $1.75, Crystal White Wax, in mixed cars, few, $2.00, Babosa, US 1s, 3 inch minimum, few, $2.00, 2½ inch minimum, few $1.75.

Coastal Bend—Texas:

Onions: Moderate wire inquiry. Demand moderate, market steady. Carloads f.o.b. cash track: few sales, Yellow Bermudas US Commercial, 80% or more US No. 1 quality, $1.75, Yellow Boilers $1.00.

Winter Garden Section—Texas:

Onions: Good wire inquiry. Demand very good, market firm for Yellow Bermudas, stronger for other stock. Carloads f.o.b. cash track and truckloads f.o.b. cash at shipping point: Yellow Bermudas US Commercial, 80% US No. 1 quality and US No. 1s $1.75, Yellow Boilers $1.00, Crystal White Wax, US No. 1s, $1.95-2.05, US Commercial, 80% or more US No. 1

Screen Calendar NEWS OF LATEST MOTION PICTURES Advance Films

Sensational New Star Seen In Musical Film

Gloria Jean Co-Starred With Crosby In 'If I Had My Way' Booked For Capitol Theatre Sunday, Monday

BING CROSBY shares honors with his youngest co-star, little Gloria Jean, in the new musical hit "If I Had My Way," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville and at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito, Friday and Saturday.

Gay tunes are enlivened by duet arrangements for Crosby and Gloria that are particularly effective. And with the addition of a clever supporting cast and an excellent screen play, "If I Had My Way" is altogether an appealing film.

Crosby appears as a steelworker, one of a trio of pals that include El Brendel and Donald Woods. Gloria is the daughter of Woods, and when the father is killed in a bridge accident Crosby and Brendel take her to New York to live with relatives.

Complications ensue when Brendel generously buys a bankrupt cafe from a friend, and the story then concerns itself with the problems of the three comrades in making the business pay.

As always, Crosby's easy presence lends enjoyment to his performance, and makes it one of the best in his long string of successful pictures. Gloria Jean, hailed as a major screen discovery after her debut in "The Under-Pup," has a childish charm that is utterly captivating. In several dramatic and comedy scenes she proves that her talents as an actress have not been overestimated.

DAPHNE DU MAURIER'S 'REBECCA' IS FILM HIT

BASED ON THE popular, best-selling Daphne du Maurier novel, the screen production of "Rebecca" is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen.

Laurence Olivier and Joan Fontaine appear in the principal starring roles, while the featured cast includes Reginald Denny, Judith Anderson, George Sanders, C. Aubrey Smith, Gladys Cooper, Florence Bates and Nigel Bruce.

The story concerns a young and unsophisticated girl who becomes the bride of the wealthy and socially prominent Maxim de Winter. When they return to live on his vast Tudor estate, Manderley, the second wife learns, to her horror, that her life is being dominated by the past of Rebecca, Maxim's first wife, a very beautiful woman, who fascinated all who knew her.

Furthermore, the memory of Rebecca is kept alive by Mrs. Danvers, de Winter's housekeeper, played by Judith Anderson. Mrs. Danvers resents the second Mrs. de Winter and does everything in her power to harrow her. After an elaborate ball given at Manderley, the story moves swiftly to a smash climax, stunning in its surprise.

'PINOCCHIO' IS FULL-LENGTH CARTOON FEATURE

WALT DISNEY'S full-length cartoon feature "Pinocchio," is to be seen currently, Sunday and Monday at both the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito and the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco.

Filmed entirely in technicolor the story tells of the little wooden boy who wanted to be a real boy but found that he had to fulfill certain requirements before his wish would be granted. The musical score in the flim has some of the favorite hit tunes of the day and the voices of the characters include some of the screen's famous names.

Among these will be Cliff Edwards, Evelyn Venable, Walter Catlett, Frankie Darro, Charles Judels and the new discovery, Dickey Jones who is the voice of Pinocchio himself.

POPULAR STARS SEEN IN 'PRIMROSE PATH'

GINGER ROGERS and Joel McCrea share co-starring honors in the screen adaptation of the sensational stage play "Primrose Path," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Palace Theatre in McAllen.

The story tells of a girl who disowned her dissolute family and of a boy who didn't know what real love was until he lost it. Hungry for affection, the girl meets a young man who runs a hamburger stand and marries him without letting him know the ugly truth about her parents and her home.

Their brief happiness is shattered when the girl, aware that her husband will learn the facts for himself sooner or later, brings the boy and the family together. Feeling that she tricked him into marrying into a group of parasites, the boy tries to put her out of his life, but he learns that it isn't so easy to do. The conflict of their hurt pride with their very real need for one another makes for the taut drama of the conclusion.

'JOHNNY APOLLO' IS ROMANTIC DRAMA

NOT SINCE "Jesse James" has Tyrone Power had such a draamtic role as in "Johnny Apollo," in which he shares co-starring honors with Dorothy Lamour.

When the story opens Power is an idealistic college man, but he doesn't remain that long. For when the banker father he idolized (Edward Arnold) is sent to prison for embezzlement, the boy's whole world crashes about his ears.

Spurned by his wealthy friends, broke and unable to get a job because of the stigma against his name, the young man assumes an alias, "Johnny Apollo," and joins the mob of Mickey Dwyer, played by Lloyd Nolan. It is here that Johnny meets "Lucky" Dubarry, Mickey's girl, who understands and loves Johnny—regardless.

He also meets Judge Brennan, a tippling ex-judge turned underworld lawyer, who boasts a talent for "springing" his clients from jail.

The boy works tirelessly to help free the father, who has turned against him because of his underworld connections, and the story works up to one of the most thrilling climaxes in screen history.

"Johnny Apollo" is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the State Theatre in Mercedes and at both the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville and the Palace Theatre in McAllen, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.



Dorothy Lamour co-starred with Tyrone Power in "Johnny Apollo," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the State Theatre in Mercedes and Thursday, Friday and Saturday at both the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville and the Palace Theatre in McAllen.

ANN SHERIDAN MOVIE BOOKED

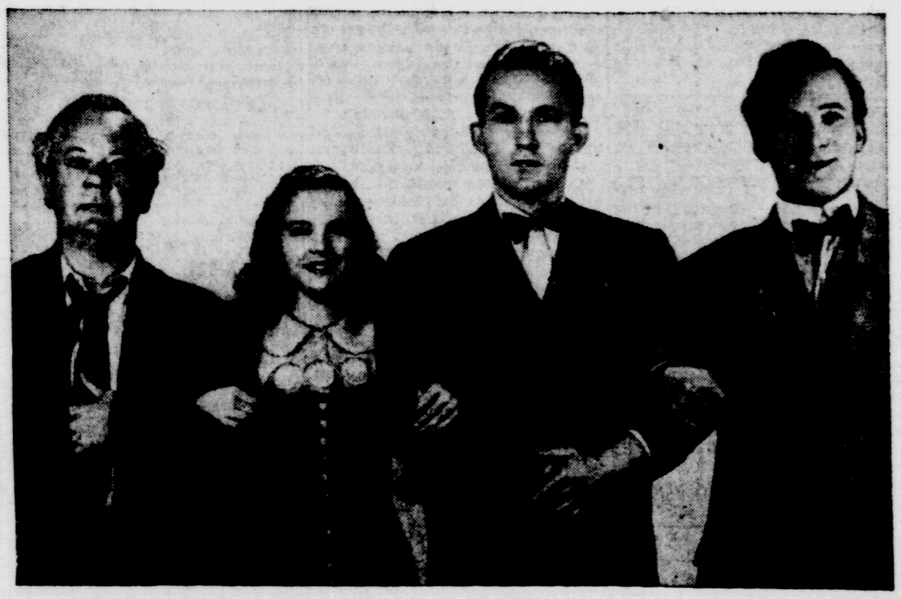
Oomph Girl Starred In New Film

Ann Sheridan, the red-headed Texan dynamo who has become the screen's most outstanding feminine personality, combines "oomph" with dramatic fire in the starring role of Louis Bromfield's "It All Came True," booked for showing Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen; Tuesday and Wednesday at the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco and at the State Theatre in Mercedes, Wednesday and Thursday.

With the quaintness, charm and dramatic suspense of the Bromfield novel, "It All Came True" tells the story of a group of people who live in a New York boarding house run by two sentimental old women, using it as a refuge where they can fight off the reality of the present and dwell in the fond memories of the past. The complacent atmosphere of the house is shattered when the housekeeper's son, Jeffrey Lynn, returns home with a gangster, played by Humphrey Bogart, who is so won over by the motherly ministrations he receives that he offers to straighten out the financial difficulties of the boarding house by converting it into a night club with a "Gay Nineties" background. From there the story works up to a surprise climax.



Laurence Olivier and Joan Fontaine co-starred in the picturization of Daphne du Maurier's popular best-selling novel "Rebecca," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen.



Charles Winninger, Gloria Jean, Bing Crosby and El Brendel co-starred in the screen's new musical comedy drama, "If I Had My Way," for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville and at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito, Friday and Saturday.



Walt Disney's newest cartoon character "Pinocchio" seen in the title role of is full-length feature of the same title which is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at both the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito and the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco.



Ann Sheridan, Jeffrey Lynn and Humphrey Bogart in the screen dramatization of Louis Bromfield's "It All Came True," booked for showing Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen; Tuesday and Wednesday at the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco and at the State Theatre in Mercedes, Thursday and Friday.

VALLEY SCREEN CALENDAR

CAPITOL THEATRE, BROWNSVILLE

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Bing Crosby and Gloria Jean in "If I Had My Way" with El Brendel, Charles Winninger and Claire Dodd.

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: David Niven and Olivia De Havilland in Samuel Goldwyn's "Raffles" with Dudley Digges and Dame Mary Whitty.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Tyrone Power and Dorothy Lamour in "Johnny Apollo" with Edward Arnold, Lloyd Nolan and Charley Grapewin.

QUEEN THEATRE, BROWNSVILLE

SUNDAY ONLY: Joe E. Brown in "Beware Spooks" with Mary Carlisle.

MONDAY, TUESDAY: Norma Shearer, Joan Crawford and Rosalind Russell in "The Women" with Paulette Goddard and Marjorie Main.

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Stan Laurel and Oliver Hardy in "The Flying Deuces" with Jean Parker.

FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Ken Maynard in "In Old Santa Fe" with Gene Autry, Smiley Burnette, George "Gabby" Hays and Evalyn Knapp.

RIVOLI THEATRE, SAN BENITO

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Walt Disney's full feature length cartoon "Pinocchio." Filmed in Multiplane Technicolor.

TUESDAY ONLY: Robert Cummings and Laraine Day in "And One Was Beautiful" with Jean Muir and Billie Burke.

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FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Bing Crosby and Gloria Jean in "If I Had My Way" with El Brendel, Charles Winninger and Claire Dodd.

ARCADIA THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Joan Fontaine and Laurence Olivier in Daphne Du Maurier's "Rebecca" with George Sanders and Judith Anderson.

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Ann Sheridan, Jeffrey Lynn and Humphrey Bogart in Louis Bromfield's "It All Came True" with Zazu Pitts, Una O'Connor and John Litel.

FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Thomas Mitchell and Freddie Bartholomew in "The Swiss Family Robinson" with Edna Best, Tim Holt and John Wray.

RIALTO THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY ONLY: William Gargan and June Lang in "Isle Of Destiny" with Wallace Ford. Filmed in new Cosmocolor.

MONDAY, TUESDAY: Weaver Brothers and Elviry in "In Old Missouri" with Thurston Hall and Loretta Weaver.

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Pat O'Brien and Ruth Terry in "Slightly Honorable" with Edward Arnold, Broderick Crawford and Patricia Ellis.

FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Tex Ritter and Susan Dale in "Rhythm of the Rio Grande."

STRAND THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Douglas Fairbanks, Jr. and Joan Bennett in "Green Hell" with Charles Bancroft, George Sanders and Alan Hale.

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: James Stewart and Margaret Sullavan in "The Shop Around The Corner" with Frank Morgan and Joseph Schildkraut.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY: Ann Sothern and John Carroll in "Congo Maisie" with Rita Johnson.

SATURDAY ONLY: Spanish Dialogue Films.

STATE THEATRE, MERCEDES

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Tyrone Power and Dorothy Lamour in "Johnny Apollo" with Edward Arnold, Lloyd Nolan and Charley Grapewin.

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Madeleine Carroll and Brian Aherne in "My Son, My Son" with Louis Hayward, Laraine Day and Henry Hull.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY: Ann Sheridan, Jeffrey Lynn and Humphrey Bogart in Louis Bromfield's "It All Came True" with Zazu Pitts and John Litel.

SATURDAY ONLY: Charles Starrett and Lorna Grey in "Bullets For Rustlers" with the Sons of The Pioneers.

RITZ THEATRE, WESLACO

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TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Ann Sheridan, Jeffrey Lynn and Humphrey Bogart in Louis Bromfield's "It All Came True" with Zazu Pitts and John Litel.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY: Madeleine Carroll and Brian Aherne in "My Son, My Son" with Louis Hayward, Loraine Day and Henry Hull.

SATURDAY ONLY: Roy Rogers as "Young Buffalo Bill" with George "Gabby" Hayes and Constance Moore.

PALACE THEATRE, McALLEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Ginger Rogers and Joel McCrea in "Primrose Path" with Marjorie Rambeau, Miles Mander and Henry Travers.

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Priscilla Lane and Dennis Morgan in "Three Cheers For The Irish" with Alan Hale and Thomas Mitchell.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Tyrone and Dorothy Lamour in "Johnny Apollo" with Edward Arnold, Lloyd Nolan and Charley Grapewin.

QUEEN THEATRE, McALLEN

SUNDAY ONLY: Charles Bickford and Doris Day in "Thou Shalt Not Kill" with Owen Davis, Jr.

MONDAY, TUESDAY: Pat O'Brien and Olympa Bradna in "The Night of Nights" with Roland Young.

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Gary Cooper and David Niven in "The Real Glory" with Andrea Leeds and Kay Johnson.

FRIDAY, SATURDAY: George O'Brien in "The Bullet Code" with Virginia Vale.

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Texas Precincts To Favor John Garner

Roosevelt Policies Endorsed; McAllen Goes For Garner; County Meets Are Set

By The Associated Press

Texas Democrats, torn between Vice President Garner, a Texan, and President Roosevelt, met in their precincts Saturday night to instruct county convention delegates how to vote on the presidential nominee.

Early and incomplete returns showed sentiment in favor of the vice president, although practically every precinct reporting endorsed the Roosevelt administration.

In Dallas county, Garner led the President. At Belton, three of the first five precincts reporting, instructed for President Roosevelt. The Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen resolution for a third term for President Roosevelt was submitted at the Belton conventions.

Marshall, home of Myron Blalock, Garner leader, and Harrison county favored the vice president.

Observers expected a fight for control of the Bexar county delegation at San Antonio between Roosevelt and Garner supporters.

Five of the seven Lubbock precinct conventions favored Garner for the nomination and endorsed the Roosevelt administration. One was uninstructed and one supported Roosevelt.

The first six Travis county precincts reporting in Austin instructed for Garner for president and endorsed the national administration. Attendance at the conventions was light.

PRECINCT MANEUVERS ARE JUST 'WARM UP' MEETS

BROWNSVILLE — The battle that's developing along the nation's political fronts, from Cameron county's 35 voting precincts on up, probably can be well likened to

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LLOYD GEORGE SAYS BRITAIN HAS MUDDLED

'Will Lose War Unless Cabinet Changed'

LONDON—(AP)—The Independent newspaper Sunday Pictorial today prominently displayed an article by David Lloyd George, Britain's world war prime minister, denouncing the direction of the current war as "faulty, feeble and foolish." . . .



GEORGE

"Leaders of Democracy have utterly muddled their case and it will certainly be lost if there is not an immediate change in direction," Lloyd George asserted in the article, which occupied the entire front page of the Pictorial.

"The British parliament must take the situation in hand immediately. If they fail to do so without delay they will be guilty of high treason to the nation . . .

"The war direction must be drastically reconstructed in organization and in personnel, otherwise disaster is inevitable."

FLOOD BILL IS DUE MAY 8

$54,000,000 Is Asked For Water Control

McALLEN—The house foreign affairs committee at Washington is expected to open hearings Wednesday on Representative Milton West's bill for a $54,000,000 flood control and irrigation project on the lower Rio Grande, according to information received here Saturday.

The hearings were originally set for last Friday, but so far as could be learned here, were not opened at that time. Committee members had decided to delay the proceedings until the following Wednesday in event the Friday session could not be held.

Emory W. Watts of McAllen, who is representig the Water Conservation Association of the Valley at Washington in work on the measure, returned fro the capital the past week but was back there Saturday to aid preparation of arguments for the measure. It was understood here that one or two federal agencies still had to file their reports on the bill before hearings could get under way.

The West measure would bring to realization plans for a master canal in the Valley which would water 583,000 acres of farm land, some 125,000 of which are not yet in cultivation. It provides for two large reservoirs, one in Starr county and one in Hidalgo, in which overflow from the Rio Grande would be stored during high stages on the river, to be released for irrigation later when dry seasons occur. Thousands of non-resident Valley land owners have been asked to seek support of the bill among their congressmen and many have replied favorably.

Whistling Plumber Halts Flow Of News

JASPER — (AP)— It was not a censor who stopped the flow of news from the Red Army maneuvers Saturday.

It was a plumber.

When communications were suddenly severed, wire company trouble shooters could not find the difficulty. They sent to Beaumont for an exper Meanwhile, a plumber who was making some minor repairs whistled as he worked.

The expert aid the plumber had disconnected a ground wire. Threw a monkey wrench into the maneuvers, he said.

Dallas Women Fight Carhops Scant Togs

DALLAS— (AP) —To State Labor Department officials and the Dallas city council will go a band of Dallas women next week, determined to halt employment of scantily dressed girl carhops at drive-in stands.

With them they will take girls who will complain, Mrs. Hungerford said, that their wages seldom exceed $5 weekly, including tips, out of which they had to pay rental on costumes.

Earle Mayfield May Ask Commission Job

FORT WORTH —(AP)— Earle B. Mayfield, Jr., Tyler attorney and political leader, is considering entering the race for railroad commissioner, it was learned here Saturday.

Mayfield told the Star-Telegram that many friends had requested him to file for the place to be vacated by the retirement of Chairman Lon A. Smith next January, but said he had not yet made up his mind on the matter.

New Battleship To Be Launched June 1

WASHINGTON —(AP)— The first new American battleship in 19 years will be launched June 1 at the Philadelphia navy yard with a direct descendant of Chief Justice John Marshall as sponsor.

Under present plans, the Washington will be launched 13 days ahead of a sister ship, the North Carolina, which is under construction at the New York navy yard. President Roosevelt has been invited to witness the Philadelphia ceremony.

Norvell Files

Hidalgo Man Seeks Justice Post

SAN ANTONIO —(AP)— James R. Norvell, 37, associate justice of the Fourth Court of Civil Appeals, Saturday filed his candidacy for re-election. Kwill Morriss, Jr., chairman of the Bexar County Democratic Executive Committee, announced.

Judge Norvell, appointed to the Court by Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel to succeed Judge C. S. Slatton, who was named to the state supreme court commission of appeals in January, filed for six year term. He is from Edinburg, Hidalgo county.

ALLIED FLEET OFF AEGEAN COAST NOW

Greece Fears Spread Of War Soon

ITALY BACKS OUT

Rumania Halts Night Danube Traffic

ATHENS —(AP)— The reported arrival of British naval reinforcements in the Aegean Sea off Salonika kept tension high in Greece Saturday night as all of southern Europe watched anxiously for developments in the eastern Mediterranean.

British ships have been stationed in the Aegean, gateway to the Dardanelles, since the outbreak of the war.

New War Ball?

But the arrival of more ships, coming on top of Italian concentration of air, naval and military forces in the Dodecanese Islands and the British-French naval concentration at Alexandria, brought home to residents of Salonika the fact that their seaport town would be a strategically valuable base for either side in case the war should break out here.

While watching the movements of the British war vessels, Greece took steps to protec. Salonika from the north. A major portion of the ten classes of reserve officers called up for training will be sent to the Albanian frontier, whence Italy conceivably might launch a drive if she enters the war.

At the same time German sources reported that Greek police had raided a secret British radio station in Athens which h been sending meteorological reports to British warships. This could not be confirmed officially in Athens.

Yugoslavs received new if unofficial assurances that Italy had no designs on their country.

Yugoslavia Easier

Tension in Dalmatia, across the Adriatic Sea from Italy, diminished somewhat as the Fascist newspaper in Fiume, Il Gazetta Di Fiume, which has a wide Yugoslav circulation, said:

"Italy has no aspirations toward Yugoslavia. Italy's preparations are directed onl against events in the Mediterranean."

At Ankara, the Turkish capital, German ambassador Franz von Papen postponed indefinitely his trip to Berlin to report to Chancellor Hitler on the situation in the near East. In Istanbul, Turkish police announced the release of Prof. Hans von Osten, one of five Germans arrested on suspicion of espionage and spreading German propaganda, because of failure to prove charges against him.

Rumania took steps against possible sabotage by forbidding all Danube river craft to pass under the Cernavoda bridge at night. This huge span in southeastern Rumania is considered the chief military route to southern Dobruja province, which Bulgaria claims.

HOT CHECKS SIZZLE AGAIN

Area Farmers Asked To Beware

HARLINGEN—Warning to those giving hot checks in purchase of Valley produce that all charges will be vigorously prosecuted, and added warning to local growers and shippers to be careful accepting checks for their produce lest they be victimized by swindlers, was voiced here Saturday by Assistant District Attorney Arthur A. Klein.

E. J. Lee and Ray Harkness, truckers were arrested Saturday in Texarkana, and held for local officers on charge of swindling by worthless check in amount over $50, Klein said. Mrs. Mattie Clark of San Benito made complaint, which was filed before Justice of the Peace Menton Murray here.

The complaint was the third such filed against truckers during the past week, Klein said, on worthless checks given produce men and farmers, principally on potato purchases. Klein added that numerous other such worthless checks have been given, in amounts ranging from less than $50 to several hundred dollars. Charges in connection with most of these are expected to be filed shortly.

CONGRATULATIONS

To Mr. and Mrs. Harry Haven, San Benito, on the birth of a son, weighing seven pounds 12 ounces, Saturday at 6:15 p. m. at Medical Arts Clinic.

UNIONS BALK WAGE-HOUR CITRUS AID

Packers Told They Must Conform

WASHINGTON — (AP) — A wage-hour hearing for the citrus fruit packing industry ended Saturday with pleas by Boris Shishkin of the American Federation of Labor and Michael Howard of the Congress of Industrial Organizations against any change in the wage and hour requirements now applied to the industry.

Both argued that citrus fruit packing was an industrial operation in which many individual plants represented an investment of $200,000 or more so that they could not receive wage-hour exemptions as "small farm" processing operations.

Howard also contended that the CIO had concluded after a study that the packing plants could conduct all their peak seasonal operations in the 14-weeks period per year during which they are permitted by law to work their employes 56 hours a week without overtime compensation.

Allied hearings on the canning industry will start Monday and those on deciduous gruit and vegetable packing will begin May 9, a wage-hour administration official said.

New Power Discovered By Science

May Revolutionize Transportation

NEW YORK —(AP)— Laboratory isolation of a new chemical substance, one pound of which is said to be capable of yielding the power output of 5,000,000 pounds of coal or 3,000,000 gallons of gasoline, was described Saturday by the New York Times.

Revolutionizes Power

The Times said that this discovery, announced in the current issue of the Physical Review, scientific journal, had been hailed by leading scientists as holding the promise of revolutionizing all present methods of power production, and ushering in the era of atomic power.

The substance was identified as "U-Wet," an isotope or chemical twin of ordinary uranium, which when simply immersed in cool water releases its energy in a form useable by man—steam.

A chunk of five to 10 pounds of the substance, plentifully available in many parts of the earth, would drive a battleship or seagoing submarine around the oceans of the world for an indefinite period without refueling, it was said.

Nazi 'Order" Discovery

THE Times said that the Nazi government had heard of American research in this field and had ordered its greatest scientists to concentrate on the problem of improving the method of extracting the U-235, one pound of which was said to have the explosive force of 15,000 tons of TNT.

"Every German scientist in this field, physicists, chemists and engineers . . . have been ordered to drop all other researches and devote themsives to this work alone," the Times said.

Hungry Civilians Eat Food Left By Allies In Norway

IN THE STEINKJER REGION, Norway — (Sunday) — (AP) — Thousands of starving war refugees descended upon the hilly regions around Namsos Friday and Saturday and helped themselves to large stores of food left by the British and French before the hasty Allied withdrawal.

Upon learning that the Allies were gone these civilian victims of the war made a Roman holiday of it, eating and drinking as much as they could and then carting away as big a load as they could carry to their homes. Throughout the region from Overhalla west to Namsos —where the Allies kept their plentiful stores—ithere were poignant scenes as the hungry civilians clawed ravenously at the boxes of foodstuffs. Men, women and children, released from days of living in terror of airplane ttacks, appeared to care for nothing except that peace had come—and that here was real food after days of hunger.

Surf Board Rider Said Lost In Lake

AUSTIN—(AP)—Howard H. Fincher, 23, a teacher in a junior high school here, disappeared on Inks Lake Saturday while riding a surf board, drawn by a speed boat.

Reports received here were that the persons in the boat were unaware for some time that Fincher apparently had fallen from the surf board.

Facts Of Life Will Be Taught Tots Is Methodist Proposal

ATLANTIC CITY —(AP)—The general conference of the Methodist Church formally proclaimed Saturday that parents should teach their children the "facts of life."

"Our children," the pronouncement stated, "desire and have a right to know before adolescence the facts regarding the origin of life and the nature of their personalities as it relates to sex.

"Parents, if properly instructed, are best fitted to give this assistance, but if they are recreant to this duty, then qualified persons in the church should teach reverently the beautiful truths of life to offset the obscene and all-too-prevalent misinformation to which our children are exposed."

Here's That Tan Again

Summer Returns With Sun Burning At 101

By The Associated Press

Lubbock, where the experiment station recorded 101 degrees and the airport 99, was the hot spot of Texas Saturday as the mercury hovered in the 90's in many cities.

A top of 107 was reported at a gas plant a few miles outside Lubbock.

Other highs: Laredo 97; Wichita Falls 96; Alpine, Del Rio, San Antonio and El Paso 92; Amarillo 91; Abilene 90; Austin, Brady and Houston 89; Brownsville and Corpus Christi 87 and Galveston 78.

MEXICAN OIL SEIZURE CASE IS REJECTED

Mexico Says Flatly Won't Arbitrate

SINCLAIR SIGNS

Chiefs Want Private Settlements

WASHINGTON —(AP)— The Mexican government flatly rejected Saturday night the United States request for arbitration of the two-year old dispute growing out of expropriation of American-owned oil companies.

General Eduardo Hay, Mexican minister for foreign affairs, said in a note that the Mexican government "considers arbitration incompatible" with the facts in the controversy and with international law "since the matter in dispute is domestic in nature and is near solution by the authorities of Mexico."

Want Private Cases

The note presented the view that the United States could not contend there had been a denial of justice until after the American oil companies had exhausted every means of adjustment provided by the Mexican laws, including recourse to the Mexican courts.

General Hay announced, in the note, that a settlement had been reached with the Sinclair interests under which the American company, "accepting the expropriation as definitive, will limit itself to discussing the amount of indemnity and the conditions of payment in reasonable installments, recognizing the justification of the Mexican point of view."

Harry F. Sinclair announced Saturday night, following a day-long conference with the Mexican ambassador, Francisco Castillo Najera, that "we have concluded an agreement with the Mexican government providing for a settlement." It was learned authoritatively that the settlement provided for the Sinclair interests to accept 20,000,000 barrels of oil and $8,000,000 to $10,000,000, the cash to be paid over three years, for the properties.

The Mexican note said the Sinclair interests "represent approximately 40 per cent of the investments of American interests in the

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COACH GRIES BADLY HURT

McAllenite Crashes On Motorcycle

McALLEN — Assistant McAllen Senior High School Football Coach Thomas Gries, 27, remained in a critical condition at City Hospital Saturday afternoon suffering from numerous injuries he received at noon Saturday when his motorcycle crashed into the side of a car driven by Marion E. Fox, 14-year-old son of Mrs. Mose Harris.

Attending physicians said Gries' condition was critical but held hope for his recovery. He sustained a badly fractured right leg and dislocated right elbow in addition to severe facial and head cuts, doctors said. Fox received a cut left elbow.

The collision occurred at the intersection of Cedar avenue as Gries was riding north on Tenth street.

Intersection Crash

Young Fox told Assistant District Attorney Hollis Rankin that he stopped at the intersection while two motorcycles passed him going north on Tenth street. He said he started to cross the intersection when Gries apparently slowed the speed of the motorcycle. Before the car was half way across

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Second Ride Final For Fort Worth Man

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Three weeks ago Mrs. Margurete Williams summoned an ambulance to her home here for a stranger who had suffered a heart attack on her front porch.

Saturday afternoon she summoned another ambulance for the same man, James A. Nickell, 62, but this time he was dead. He had called Saturday to thank her for her kindness three weeks ago.

Government Scores In Allotment Suit

DALLAS —(AP)— Government attorneys scored in the first round of a suit by a group of farmers seeking to restrain agriculture committeemen from fixing cotton allotments when Federal Judge W. H. Atwell Saturday denied a motion to remand the suit to district court.

Aged Explorer Hit By Cerebral Malady

PORT CHESTER, N. Y.—(AP)—Dr. Frederick A. Cook, 77-year-old Arctic explorer, Saturday night lay in a semi-coma following a cerebral hemorrhage. His condition was described by attendants at United Hospital as "critical."

French Rout Germans In West Front Attack As War Scene Shifts

Captured By Nazis



A long line of British prisoners is shown on the march through the streets of Trondheim, Norway, in this radiophoto transmitted from Berlin to New York. A German guard can be seen at the left near the rear of the column. Germany has stamped the conquest of Norway as nearly complete.

Nazis To Free Narvik

Army Turns North As Additional Forces Rushed To Norway Despite Victory

STOCKHOLM—(AP)—A German push northward toward Narvik, along hazardous mountain trails and fjords exposed to the guns of the Allied fleet, was predicted by military experts in Stockholm Saturday night.

This forecast was made while the massive German army machine, already numbering around 100,000 and being strengthened daily, overran central Norway, precipitously abandoned to the invaders by Britain and France.

Unconfirmed reports said British naval units were bombarding Arctic Narvik, but informed Swedish observers believed the German army would take advantage of the offensive momentum developed in central Norway to drive to the rescue of several thousand Nazis trapped between Allied land and sea forces at Narvik.

Still Holding On

Refugees arriving in Sweden from Narvik said a Nazi force greatly weakened by three weeks of fighting and a lack of supplies was clinging tenaciously to positions in the hills above Narvik while Allied land units were slowly closing in around the Arctic ore port.

The Germans in central Norway are separated from their beleaguered comrades and the Allied besiegers at Narvik by a long and narrow stretch of mountains flanking a fjord-indented coastal strip.

Experts said the Germans could push with little difficulty 100 miles northward of Namsos to Mosjoen. But from Mosjoen to Narvik, the experts believed, the German advance would be extremely hazardous, as it would involve traversing difficult country, expose the Germans to Allied attacks from the sea and necessitate ferrying across a network of fjords and lagoons.

Could Block Port

These Swedish experts thought it would be easy for the Allies, if they complete occupation of the Narvik area, to block any German attempts to drive to the Arctic port provided the Allies maintain a sufficient and active naval force off the coast north of Mosjoen.

Norwegian resistance in central Norway came to a virtual standstill Saturday after Colonel O. B. Getz, acting commander of Norwegian forces in this area issued an order saying that the fight against the Germans was finished.

Passports Again

Mexico Clamps Down On Border

BROWNSVILLE — Valley residents crossing into Mexico across the international border will be required to carry identification cards, effective Monday, May 6.

Two passport photographs will be presented by applicants for entry into Mexico after which the issuance of the cards will require but a few minutes. No charge will be made.

Local officials had no explanation for the regulation, other than that it is the law, and that since the outbreak of the European war vigilance along this border has greatly increased.

Persons carrying cards would be spared questioning those without them will be subject to, it was said.

Non-residents of the Valley will not be expected to carry the cards, but will be questioned on entry.

War

AT A GLANCE

By The Associated Press

PARIS — French report wide German attack on Saar sector thrown back in disorder; Reynaud government secret session test over Norway withdrawal in prospect.

BERLIN — Nazis claim three minute air attack sank 30,000-ton British battleship; declare total of nine British warships sunk or damaged during Allied troop transfer off Norway.

STOCKHOLM — Growing German war machine expected to push on Narvik where Allies threatened isolated garrison; central Norway action finished.

LONDON — Criticism of Chamberlain government mounts; critical commons session due Tuesday; German air claims called "fantastic."

ROME — Italy warns Allies any naval offensive will find her ready.

SALONIKA — Greeks nervous as strong units of British fleet concentrate in Aegean.

ALEXANDRIA — More Allied fleet units arrive; Egypt orders general war exercises.

THE HAGUE — Government arrests 21 in move against "fifth column.

Co-Op Oil Refinery Opens In Kansas

PHILLIPSBURG, Kan. —(AP)— A crowd estimated by city officials as at least 20,000 witnessed the dedication Saturday of the country's first co-operative oil refinery, an $800,000 project.

Ralph Snyder, president of the Wichita Bank for Co-operatives, poured a vial of refined oil into a 1915 horse drawn tank wagon to symbolize the mingling of new and old ideas.

Roosevelt 'Turkey' Day To Be Ignored

AUSTIN —(AP)— Mere proclamations, even by the President of the United States, can't change the football habits of University of Texas and Texas A. and M. fans.

Ignoring "Roosevelt Thanksgiving," November 21, the Longhorns and the Aggies will play their annual "Thanksgiving" game at Memorial Stadium here November 28, officials of the two schools announced jointly Saturday.

BATTLESHIP IS SUNK BY NAZI WAR PLANES

Ally Fleet Masses In Mediterranean

By The Associated Press

The highly fortified western front, where many believe the European war eventually must be fought out, got a new measure of world attention Sunday as the French reported they had turned back in disorder a "quite important" German surprise attack on a broad sector of the Saar River area.

This large action, the first of its kind reported in weeks, gave rise at once to speculation on whether the Nazis might be feeling out Allied strength there in the wake of the Allies' defeat in Norway.

The French report on the fight said it took place on Friday night and was accompanied by artillery fire to both sides in the Moselle and Blies River sectors.

British Taunted

Livening up of the western front came as Nazi Germany, already flushed by triumph in Norway, taunted her enemies further with claims that she definitely had proved the efficacy of her great air arm against power on the sea.

Challenging Britain's long rule as mistress of the sea, the Germans said their dive bombers had sunk a British battleship of the 30,000-ton Queen Elizabeth class in three minutes off Namsos, Norway.

Nazis went on to claim a total of nine British warships or transports were sunk or badly damaged by air attack as the Allies strove to transport their withdrawing forces out of central Norway.

These claims for the power of the Nazi air force brought the retort from British sources that they were "of the fantastic character to which the public is fast becoming accustomed."

Battleship Sunk

In Berlin Air Marshall Hermann Wilhelm Goering, bemedalled man of the hour in the Norwegian Blitzkrieg, proudly announced the sinking of the battleship by air bombardment—a feat which he and Adolf Hitler had charged the German air force in Norway to achieve at any cost.

Beside the battleship the Germans said British losses included a heavy cruiser of the class of the 8,250-ton

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SYNOD NAMES NEW LEADERS

Lutheran Convention To End Sunday

LYFORD—Business meetings of the four-day Texas Conference of Augustana Synod of English Lutheran Churches were closed Friday here with the re-election of Rev. Hugo B. Haterius, Avoca, Tex., as president, and all other 1939 officers.

Rev. Fred G. Olson, Manor, was re-elected vice president; Rev. J. Herman Larson, Galveston, was re-elected secretary, and E. T. Isaacson, El Campo, was re-elected treasurer.

The confe ence took a decisive step in joining the Synodical Home Mission Plan instituted last year, wherein all missionary activity will be directed by a central board of the home mission instead of direction by the individual conferences as before. The Texas conference is the last to adopt the centralized plan. Headquarters will be at Minneapolis, Minn.

The conference will close Sunday night, after three services. An estimated 75 had arrived here from all parts of Texas by Saturday, Rev. Haterius said.

Rev. S. E. Engstrom, Minneapolis, executive secretary of the Home Mission Board, and one of the conference's distinguished visitors, spoke at the final Friday session. Rev. Leslie Carlson, Salina, Kan., another visitor at the conference,

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G-Men Cleared Of Third Degree Use

WASHINGTON—(AP)— Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation were absolved by Attorney General Jackson Saturday of using "third degree" methods in the arrest of 12 persons charged with recruiting forces for the Spanish Loyalist army.

The charges were made by Senator Norris (Ind-Neb) who said he had been told that although members of the group arrested in Detroit and Milwaukee "were not criminals" they were treated "as if they were well known criminals of the lowest type."

STOCKS LOWER BECAUSE OF WAR TENSION

Unexpected Actions Abroad Feared

By FREDERICK GARDNER

NEW YOR . —(AP)— The stock market loitered in an irregularly lower range S turday as traders lightened commitments as a precaution against unexpected war developments over the week-end.

The Associated Press average of 60 issues closed unchanged at 49.8 and, on the week, showed a net loss of .2. A month ago the composite stood at 51.4 and a year ago at 45.5.

Transfers amounted to 316,880 shares, smallest for a two-hour session since M..ch 2.

The steel group d.c fairly well for a time, as forecasts were heard of an upturn in next week's mill operations. U. S. steel ended off 1-8 and Bethlehem down 1-2.

Douglas aircraft was the only aviation stock to emerge ahead. It was up 1 1-8. Boeing was down as much as 2 7-8. Glenn Martin, Eastern Airlines and American Airlines also backed away.

Other losers of as much as a point or more included General Motors, Du Pont, U. S. Rubber Common and preferred, Great Northern, Phelps Dodge, International Paper, Loft, Consolidated Edison and International Nickel.

Unchanged to up a share were Chrysler, Sears Roebuck, Johns Manville, Texas Corp., Kennecott, American Telephone, Hayes Mfg. and Consolidated Oil.

Bonds and commodities were uneven.

In a ragged curb Colts patent fire arms, National Container and Glen Alden Coal edged forward while minor declines were posted for Bath Iron works, Electric Bond and Share, Brewster Aero and Phoenix Securities. The turnover here approximated 117,000 shares.

CHURCH MEET ENDS SUNDAY

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will speak Sunday at 3 p.m. Sunday services will also be conducted at 10:15 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Rev. Carlson is regional director of the Augustana Synod for Kansas, Nebraska, and Texas.

Women Elect Chiefs

At the business session of the Women's Missionary Society, Mrs. E. J. Sohnson, Houston, was re-elected president. Other officers are Mrs. Ellen Ecklam, Austin, first vice-president; Mrs. H. B. Haterius, Avoca, second vice-president; Mrs. F. O. Linder, Austin, secretary; Mrs. Alfred Bergstrom, Fort Worth, treasurer; Mrs. Gus Fritz, Austin, industrial secretary.

Other W.M.S. secretaries include Mrs. Bertyl Magnuson, Elgin, Exhibit secretary; Mrs. Carl Forsell, Fort Worth, Y.W.M. secretary; Mrs. A. L. Scott, Elroy, Missionary for Day secretary. Other secretaries elected are Mrs. Eric Anderson, Austin; Misses Ethel Johnson, Hutto, and Ellen Johnson, Round Rock; Mrs. Alfred Nelson, Dallas; Mrs. M. A. Johnson, Fort Worth; Mrs. Clarence Nyberg, Houston; Mrs. Rudolph Scott, Houston; Mrs. N. A. Peterson, Houston; Mrs. J. H. Larson, Galveston.

During Friday afternoon delegates toured the lower Valley, including Engelman Gardens development in Hidalgo county, and a picnic supper was held at Lyford.

The 1941 convention was tentatively set for Avoca in West Texas.

Drawe Family Will 'Fail' 1940 Tigers

MERCEDES—The "personal element" in football will be lacking for L. E. Drawe, Mercedes farmer and pigskin fan, for the first time in eight years when the Mercedes Tigers will play this fall.

Drawe has had a son in the Tiger line-up since 1932—in fact four sons, but all of them during consecutive years. Every one of them served as captain of the team. Dale, now employed by the Central Power and Light Company, played in 1932-1933. Willis, now an agriculturist on his father's farm, performed during 1934-35. James, who is finishing his freshman year at Baylor University and may see active duty with the Baylor Bears this fall, was a regular on the Tiger squad in 1936 and 1937. Billie Gene, who captained the Mercedes team during the past season, was one of the Tiger's most consistent ground gainers during the 1938 and 1939 season.

"My fourth boy graduates this year and it will be several years until my next boy is old enough for the team," Drawe said.

Eugene Smith Files Bid For Rail Post

AUSTIN—(AP)—Eugene T. Smith of Austin said Saturday he had mailed his $100 filing fee as a candidate for State Railroad Commissioner.

Pointing out that approximately 20 persons had indicated they might run for the position, Smith, one-time chairman of the highway commission under Mrs. Miram A. Ferguson, explained he was filing early "to avoid the last minute rush."

WEILAND RECALLED

DALLAS—(AP)—Catcher Al Weiland, who was the whole show Friday night when Longview trimmed Henderson, 4 to 3, was recalled by the Dallas Rebels of the Texas League Saturday night.

Weiland tried out with the Rebels this spring but was farmed out to Longview of the East Texas League.

Displaying an accurate throwing arm, Weiland, an Amarillo boy, threw out four men Friday night, caught another off base, took part in two of four double plays and drove in two runs at bat.

As Hidalgo Voiture Celebrated



Pictured above is the locomotive of the Hidalgo county voiture, Forty and Eight, with members of the "wrecking crew" clinging to it. The locomotive is used in conjunction with initiation of new members into the American Legion fun group. The "wreck" was held Saturday at Edinburg. Judge Rogers Blalock sits atop the cab in the above photograph, and District Judge Bryce Ferguson on the step. (Photo McAllen Monitor.)



The photo above was taken while the Forty and Eight's Judge Roy Bean's Court was in session at Hidalgo county courthouse in Edinburg Saturday. In the close-up is D. P. Germane, McAllen, standing by Judge Roy Bean, or Jake Bauer of Mercedes. Other court attaches, who let few Edinburg men escape fines ranging from one to two dollars, for offenses ranging from "being an adult" to "accepting a county salary. (Photo McAllen Monitor.)

French Balk Nazi Attack On West Front Saturday

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York, "sunk in thirty minutes" by heavy bombs; a second cruiser and two destroyers bombed and damaged, and a 12,000-ton transport sunk, all off Namsos, plus a battle cruiser, a cruiser and a transport bombed (but not sunk) at Narvik.

It marked a new high in Goering's meteoric career. Men who know him say he has waited for weeks for just this test as conclusive proof that the German air force can accomplish any task set for it and that it has, in German eyes, "once and for all destroyed that myth of British mastery of the seas."

Sunday's brief German announcement of the battleship's destruction said it was proceeding on a westerly coast off Namsos Saturday afternoon when the German dive bombers swopped down on it, dropping heavy bombs.

Shielding Troops

The impression in Berlin was that the battleship was shielding the departure of British troops from Namsos. They embarked Thursday night.

No sooner had the power diver unit reported the feat to Goering than he hurried to the Reich's chancellery to tell Adolf Hitler about it.

The two decided, then, said Berlin reports, to withhold the news until Saturday noon "to see whether Churchill (British First Lord of the Admiralty) will have the courage to admit this terrific loss."

Churchill, however, said nothing.

"For some time we have been waiting for an opportunity to prove to the world that even a battleship can be sunk by air raiders," said one man in the know Sunday.

"General Erhardt Milch, secretary of state in the air ministry, went personally to Norway with orders from the Fuehrer and Goering that, if and when the hour for the test came, a battleship must be sunk, come what may.

No German Loss

"We are simply amazed, ourselves, that the experiment succeeded without so much as a single loss for us.

Action died down in war-riddled Norway except in the area around Narvik. Stockholm military experts predict the next move of the Germans, now 100,000 strong in Norway, would be a push toward Narvik.

Reports from there said the Allied naval vessels were bombarding them.

There were slight indications that the Allies might be planning further strong military action in Norway.

London unofficial military sources declared Britain "will continue fighting in Norway with great vigor."

The French war ministry declared Allied forces were besieging between 3,000 and 4,000 Germans at Narvik. This followed a previous assertion that French "Blue Devils" had gone to Narvik. It was not made clear whether they had been transferred there from points abandoned in central Norway.

Chamberlain On Spot

All Britain was engrossed with the question of whether the Chamberlain government could survive the debacle of Allied arms in central Norway.

Acutely aware that military disaster has unseated more than one government, Prime Minister Chamberlain threw his waning political strength into the task of guiding his regime through the wreckage of the Norwegian campaign.

Biting criticism by Laborites, Liberals and insurgent conservatives forced the aging prime minister to get ready for a real battle in the House of Commons Tuesday. He faces an outcry of "resign" as penalty for the failure in Norway.

The demand for the resignation of Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer Sir John Simon and Air Minister Sir Samuel Hoare, as voiced by Herbert Morrison, powerful labor party spokesman, was piled on top of bitter criticism of "complacency" and "oversatisfaction" on the part of the government. Combined these attacks are expected to take the form of a drive to overthrow the present government.

Italy, at first indifferent, sat up and took notice of the big Allied Mediterranean war fleet concentrated at Alexandria.

Italy Warns Britain

A sharp warning was voiced by Virginio Gayda, Mussolini's editorial mouthpiece, that if the Allied fleet assembly boded ill for Italy it would find Italy "prompt and strong."

Italy got on with her preparation for anything that might come. The official Gazette said the war ministry had received an extra 8,000,000,000 lire ($400,000,000) for "extraordinary expense."

Mediterranean countries grew more tense.

At Salonika, Greece, which would be a strategic prize in any Mediterranean war, it was reported strong units of the British fleet are in the Aegean Sea off the eastern coast of Greece.

Further Allied fleet units arrived off Alexandria. Egypt ordered general war exercises and a week's blackout.

Britain's ally, France, was having her own political troubles over the Allied withdrawal from central Norway. It appeared almost certain the government of Premier Paul Reynaud would be grilled about it in a secret session of the Chamber of Deputies.

Netherlands Oust Nazis

The Netherlands government began its expected drive against subversive elements at home by arresting 21 persons, one of them a Nationalist Socialist (Nazi) member of Parliament.

The arrests were announced by Hremier Derek Jan De Geer, who considered them so important he broadcast the news by radio to the Dutch East and West Indies, as well as the homeland.

He compared the arrested men to the Dutchmen who helped put Holland under French influence a century and a half ago.

Communists and members of other political parties besides the Dutch were among those reported arrested. All were interned.

The only prominent Nazi arrested was M. M. Rost Van Tonningen, chief editor of the Nationaledagblad, widely circulated National Socialist newspaper and a member of the Second Chamber of Parliament.

Honor Roll

SAN BENITO

SAN BENITO—Honor rolls in San Benito schools for the fifth six weeks period of the second semester, according to an announcement Tuesday by Principal S. V. Neely.

Senior high students who made one or more A's are listed as follows:

5 A's—John Hughes.

4 A's—Elba Basantz, Billy Bryant, Bonnie Lou Bryant, Richard Corbello, Alice Kitamura, Evelyn Klepland, John Parmer, Frances Phillips, Mary Lou Sweeney, Walter Tanamachi, Eleanor Thompson, Robert Tussing, and Madelyn Valentine.

3 A's—Peggy Alexander, Rosemary Atkins, George Atkinson, Bill Bone, Joyce Jean Brady, Lorraine Clark, Dorothy Hirsch, Wilma Hohenshell, Neil Kendrick, Evelyn Kennamer, Joyce Littlepage, Vera Mae Luttes, Gladys Parker, Evelyn Ratliff, Imogene Scogin, Marilyn Smith, Bill Symonds, Mary Talbot, Don Vantine, Edith Wittenbach, and Eleanor Anne Worth.

2 A's—Ted Brown, Bertha Chapa, Patsy Creekmore, Betty Erwin, Paul Gilbert, Ivel Goldsmith, Virginia Kaufman, Yuriko Kawamura, Clyde Kennedy, Letha Mae Kyser, Fidel Perez, Olive Helen Polly, Imma Ratliff, R. Lee Rode, and Frances Smith.

1 A—Jesus Aguilar, Virginia Alewine, Lucia Alvarez, Pauline Ayoub, Dorothy Jean Barber, C. A. Barker, Jean Brady, Tommy Brady, Phillip Brooks, Hortensia Castano, Harry Colwell, Ralph Colwell, Sadie Davidson, Billie Dickenson, Marjorie Dunbar, Arminda Farias, Nona Foster, Billie Foust, Lupe Gallardo, Angelita Garcia, Dorothy Garten, Ida Gonzales, June Gudmanson, Helen Hagedorn, Gilford Hales, Bobby Harris, Mildred Harris, Odus Johns, Neil Kellogg, Benito Leal, Eddo Leal, Ruth Lee, Enrique Lopez, Lois Lovett, Jeanne Miller, Harriet Morgan, Doris Ogden, Margaret Pfeifer, Mary Minta Polly, Corrine Prather, Johnny Ramirez, Clarence Rawlins, Ralph Richardson, Olga Rico, Richard Roiz, Dora Saldana, Vinford Sanford, Freda Schneider, Richard Schneider, June Skinner, Betty Mae Smith, David Stroman, Wayne Stephens, Herbert Stuesser, Jack Tippit, Virginia Wartick, Gloria Watson, Robbie Weatherley, Bennett Williams, and Peggy Wilmeth.

In addition to the above students, the following A's were made in Band: Tol Boswell, Leo Castano, Mildred DeWitt, June Gudmanson, Joan Hagar, Evelyn Kennamer, Evelyn Klepland, and Eleanor Anne Worth.

In the junior high the following students made one or more A's during the six weeks:

5 A's—Frank Adkson, Ann Louthan, and Ann Deaton.

4 A's—Betty Clare Brown, Docia Clark, Edna Clark, Marilyn Daughtrey, Katherine Early, Bessie Lee Fry, Gloria Gamewell, Lola Mae Lewis, Helen Morris, Lucille Murphy, F. E. Sharer, Annette Stewart, and Alice Tuma.

3 A's—Lois Andrews, Fernando Coronado, Aletha Davis, Jo Lois Erwin, Donald Ferguson, Mary Ann Gamble, Obed Gonzales, Mary Jane Harrell, Emma Beth Hudson, Charles King, Leroy Kiphon, Eldon Long, Ruby Matejka, Robert Meyer, Leslie Moore, Hardage Parker, Betty Lou Prentiss, Joanne Robertson, Edward Robertson, Lois Tippit, and Betty Doris Watson.

2 A's—Nathaniel Alewine, Robert Cain, Eustolia Cary, Doris Clark, Gwendolyn Creekmore, C. E. Davis, Miriam Dunbar, Verlon Fellers, Berta Garcia, Helen Gilbert, Betty Jean Graver, Sammie Griffin, Julio Guerrero, Anita Huerta, Edward Lee, Beth Lewis, Albert Martin, Clinton McDougal, Jane Morris, O. H. Polly, Haldane Reeves, Zetta Richardson, Orby Gene Roots, Gene Schneider, Jeanette Smith, Rena Tanamachi, and Marilyn Thompson.

1 A—S. E. Albritton, Tomas Atkinson, Clotell Aulds, Leita Mae Betancourt, Mary Alice Bohner, Betty Blasingame, Mary Elizabeth Bowyer, Joe Bob Brack, Cadwell Brunneman, Donald Bullard, Billy Carmichael, Elodia Castillo, Blanca Chapa, Allene Cradit, Mary Jo Crow, Yvonne de Boxtel, Samuel Delgado, Frances Fairless, Joyce Fellers, Richard Fewel, James Fowler, Raul Garcia, Tommy Gay, Encarnacion Gonzales, Genell Gray, Joan Harris, Marjorie Harris, Shirley Hector, Henry Herrington, Raul Hinojosa, Brian Hugon, Kayuyoshi Kamitani, Billy Kennedy, Laura Kennedy, Dorothy King, Audrey Knight, Jewel Knight, Frances Lang, Betty Lasiter, John Littlepage, Billie Joyce Lockmiller, James Martin, Alicia Martinez, Anita Maza, Buddy Monger, Dora Moody, Amelia Morales, Enrique Moreno, Daniel Moreno, Estela Moreno, Lola Murray, Verl Murray, Dominga Ocanos, Elidia Ocanos, Rosa Nell Parker, Ruby Pendergrass, Beverly Phillips, Jack Prentiss, Amador Rodriguez, Jesse Rolz, John Rushing, Gerald Rustad, Timoteo Santingo, Ruth Schneider, Arthur Shafer, Alton Sloan, Bobby Dale Smith, Floyd Smith, Blandina Stegmiller, Dorothy Stubblefield, Dorothy Stubbs, Jane Symonds, Berta Trevino, Jackie Trott, Dick Welch, Juanita Woods, Mary Margery Worth, and Dorothy Young.

In addition to the above pupils making the honor roll, Billie Joyce Lockmiller received superior rating in Band for the fifth six weeks.

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COACH GRIES BADLY HURT

Motorcyle And Car In Collision

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the street, Fox said Gries struck the car in its center and threw it ahead several feet.

The noise of the crash brought several onlookers to the scene. They told Rankin the wheels of the motorcycle were still spinning around with Gries prone on the pavement.

The coach was rushed to City Hospital by a Kreidler ambulance, where physicians gave him emergency treatment. Doctors said further examination would be made when he recovered from shock.

According to Rankin, there will be no charges filed in the case. Young Fox produced his driver's license for Investigating Officers George Murray, Richard Bales and Chief of Police Noah Cannon.

On Cycle Tour

In company with Howard Archer, who lives one mile north of Tenth street, Gries had spent the greater part of the morning riding one of Archer's motorcycles on a short trip that took them to Weslaco, Edcouch and Edinburg, then back to McAllen. They were on their way home when the accident occurred.

Archer told investigating officers he was unaware anything had happened until he looked back to see if Gries were following him. Not seeing him, he returned over the route he had taken to find a crowd gathered at the Cedar avenue intersection and discovered Gries, whose motorcycle was lying nearby with the front wheel pushed back under the motor.

West Texas Leaders To Speak At Parley

BIG SPRING —(AP)— Three prominent West Texans will speak at the producers' general assembly, May 17, which will be staged here as a feature of the twenty-second annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, May 16-18.

Joe E. Clarke, Albany, president of the West-Central Texas Oil and Gas Association, will speak on the petroleum industry. Jay Taylor, president of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association, will deal with livestock problems. H. G. Parr, member of the statewide cotton committee, will review the Texas cotton situation.

A survey shows that 83.9 per cent or 2,528 of the 3,010 students at North Texas State Teachers college, Denton, are affiliated with some church denomination.

FAMED PAINTER HONORED



McALLEN—Pierre Tartoue, French portrait painter who has been in the Valley for several months, will be honored at a ception Sunday in McAllen, sponsored by the Upper Valley Art League. He will exhibit several of his Valley portraits at the time. Above, he is shown at work on a portrait of Politte Elvins of McAllen, former St. Louis attorney. (Monitor Photo.)

Honor Roll

LA VILLA

LA VILLA—E. R. Fraser, principal of the La Villa schools has announced the following honor roll for the fifth six-weeks period:

Beginners: Manuela Rodriguez, Elena Gonzalez, Ector Garces, Carmen Trevino, Ruben Munoz and Lupe Garza. Low First: Louise Mendoz, Lily Peacock, Hortensia Felepe Perez, Alijandro Hernandez. High First: Olvia Hernandez, Ramon Rios, and Aristeo Rodriguez. Second grade: Aurero Cisneros, Ninfa Solis ,Bela Munz, Juan Pedroza.

Third grade: Lydia Hernandez, Adelia Rios, Leonila Sanez, Idalia Villanuera, and Inez Zumza. Fourth grade: Cruz Castillo, Elida Garza and Crescencio De Leon. Fifth grade: Hermelinda Davila Conception Perez, Idabel Garza, Helen Peacock, Eliseo Castillo, Lupe Hernandez. Cixth grade: Otilia Hinajosa, Julia Guajardo, Gilbert Garza, Manuela Suarez. Seventh grade: Socorro Perez, Ruby Peacock, Imilda Villanueva and Lily Garza.

Pilot Oxygen Use Favored By Wives

HOLLYWOOD,Fla.—(AP)—An aviator's wife is likely to tell you that the breath of happiness is oxygen.

Col. A. D. Tuttle, former army surgeon, and now United Air Lines medical director, told why at the recent convention of the Aero Medical Association.

Oxygen equipment was installed on the company's planes about two years ago, he said, and pilots were required to use it at altitudes of 10,000 feet or higher.

"I got this report from their wives," Colonel Ttuttle stated. "Where pilots used to reach home feeling irritable and make a head dive for the bed and a long sleep, they now arrive feeling free and happy. Instead of a snore, the wives now hear this: 'Get on your glad rags, darling, we're stepping out tonight'."

Coast Guard Cutter Aids Stricken Ship

SAN FRANCISCO—(AP)—The coast guard cutter Ariadne arrived alongside the stricken lumber schooner Daisy Matthews Saturday night and picked up Captain O. J. Carlsen and 12 of his crew from small boats.

Eight men earlier were transferred to the Coos Bay Lumber Company's ship Lumberman, Mackay Radio reported. So far as was known here there was no loss of life.

The Ariadne radioed coast guard headquarters here: "The Captain (Carlsen) and the coast guard commander agreed it was no use trying to tow the Daisy Matthews. Vessel breaking up, seams open. Five miles offshore and drifting shoreward."

Three Army Planes Damaged In Crashes

McCOMB, Miss.—(AP)—A series of landing accidents in the Third Army's huge maneuvers Saturday damaged three pursuit planes and so badly wrecked the undercarriage of a transport that twelve soldiers had to parachute to safety before it pancaked to earth.

No one was injured and it was believed all four ships would be repaired in time to take part in the war games which began Saturday and will move into high gear through western Louisiana next week.

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MEXICO NOT TO ARBITRATE

Rejects U. S. Plan To Settle Seizure

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oil industry." New York financial circles estimate that Standard Oil of New Jersey, Standard Oil of New York, and the Sinclair group investments are valued at $200,000,000, of which only approximately $16,000,000 is owned by the Sinclair group.

Pledge Settlements

The Mexican note promised that similar settlements would be made with the other American oil companies whose properties had been expropriated.

General Hay charged, however, that long delays had resulted from obstructionist tactics by the American companies "which have systematically refused to allow the value of their properties to be determined, whether in the friendly manner proposed by Mexico through private negotiations or before the competent courts."

The companies, the note alleged, "by all means at their disposal, have prevented the attainment of a knowledge of the amount of the indemnity, an absolutely indespensable requisit for being able to affect payment."

Suspension of negotiations for a settlement of unpaid services on the Mexican foreign debt and railroads, the Mexican note alleged, resulted from upset international conditions and "the campaign undertaken against Mexico by the oil companies, with the aid of certain governments, using, among other means, the boycott to prevent all sales of our oil in foreign countries or else restricting it considerably by the adoption of tariff barriers, especially the so-called quotas, producing an appreciable limitation of the possibilities of payment by Mexico."

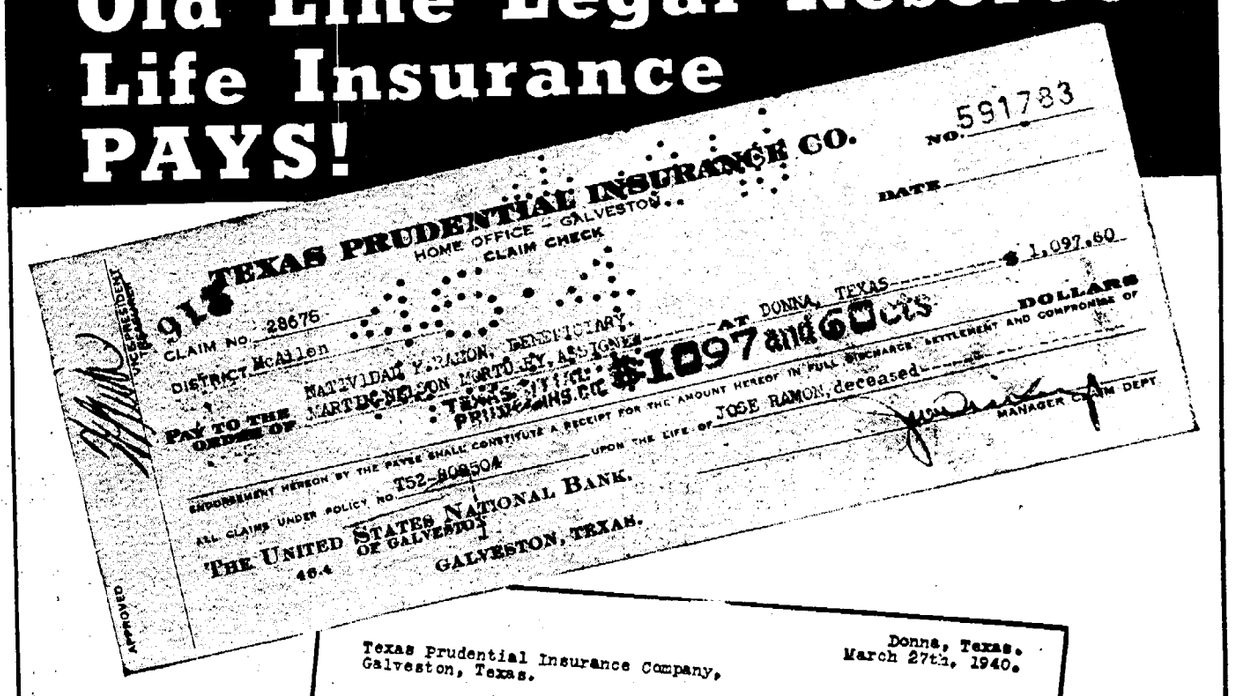
Refrigerator Agent Facetious At Zero

LEXINGTON, Ky. —(AP)— With the temperature near zero, passersby chuckled at a large sign on a Lexington clecrical engineering firm which read:

"Come in—it's cool inside."

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Donna, Texas.
March 27th, 1940.

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It is a great privilege to thank the officers and representatives of the Texas Prudential for all their kindness toward me, and the members of my family in such trying days as we have passed thru. My husband and two grown sons were among the victims of Texas' greatest grade crossing accident at Alamo, Texas, on March 14th when 29 people were killed in a truck and passenger train collision.

The small policy that my husband had with your company turned out to be a large one, due to the liberal features that were part of the contract. The policy was written for the amount of $476.00 with double indemnity, and return of premiums, making a total of $1,097.60. These last two clauses in the policy seemed like Providence was trying to help me in my trying circumstance, and when I see the conditions of the other families of this fatal accident I can only thank Providence for the foresight possessed by my husband upon taking out this Insurance policy.

The Company and its Representatives, will always be remembered for their prompt, kind and efficient service given to me, and it is a pleasure to know that I will always be insured with such a great company.

Yours very sincerely,

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'Russia Holds The Winning Cards'

OPINION NOW OK's CREDITS FOR ALLIES?

Officials Say Trend Is Changing

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Officials here say they detect signs of a gradually increasing sentiment for lifting or lessening the credit restrictions in the neutrality act in order to help the Allies.

They all agree, however, that no attempt from any direction will be made to change the act during the present session of Congress.

Now Forbidden

Letters coming into the state department and other signs indicate the officials said, that a movement may get under way in the United States to help the Allies through the extension of credit. This is now forbidden both by the neutrality act and by the Johnson act.

Demands for lessening credit restrictions have also come from producers of certain agricultural products. The Allies say their restrictions on purchases of such products are due to a desire to conserve foreign exchange.

Estimates vary between $5,000,000,000 and $8,000,000,000 as to the amount of gold, foreign securities and foreign credits the Allies have at their disposal. Informed observers believe the Allies' supplies of cash will hold out at least until the end of 1941. Hence there is no hurry in considering the possibility of revising the neutrality act and repealing the Johnson act.

Congress Firm

That Congress is in no mood to change the Johnson act at this time was indicated in the amendment tacked on to a bill authorizing government control of foreign credits held here. The amendment said that nothing in the act should be construed to negate the Johnson act.

NLRB Tactics Hit By Former Senator

WASHINGTON —(AP)— James A. Reed, former democratic senator from Missouri, denounced National Labor Board tactics Saturday as "the sort of thing engaged in by racketeers."

Reed told the special house committee investigating the board that the agency ought to be "abolished overnight" if even one-tenth of the committee's charges against it were true.

MULE BARN BURNS

COLLEGE STATION —(AP)— Fire destroyed the mule barn at Texas A. and M. Saturday morning but all animals were being harnessed at the time flames were discovered and were led to safety.

Babson Says Hitler Has Sabotaged All Hopes Of Peace; Predicts Stalin Winner

By ROGER BABSON

ST. LOUIS, Mo.—World War II has just started. Up until the time Hitler embarked on his Scandinavian campaign, there was always the possibility of a settlement around the peace table. Now this last hope of avoiding hostilities has been sabotaged. The war may well be a long one. Certainly, I see no hope of peace this year. Furthermore, I strongly believe that Russia—not Italy—holds the winning cards in this gigantic war game.

You read in the papers that Italy will soon be in the war on the side of Germany, but in my talks with army officers and governmental officials of England, I learn they have no fear of Italy. These men recognize that the Germans are a wonderful people; they did not want to go to war against them. But they have no fear of the Italians. Besides, the Italians do not like the Germans, nor do they like to fight. Mussolini is now in a bad fix. He has a big army in Ethopia. In order to keep his supply lines open to Ethopia, he must go through the Suez Canal. This is absolutely controlled by France and England.

Il Duce In Quandary

If Italy should declare war on the Allies tonight, the canal would be shut up tight tomorrow, and Italy's Ethopian army would be on the spot. Of course, Il Duce could send another army to the Balkans and perhaps take Yugoslavia and Rumania. The British and French have over half a million men in the Near East with the idea of protecting the Balkans. If Italy went into the war to help Germany she could perhaps break through to the Black Sea, but she could never get that Allied army. It would need only to withdraw into Turkey so that it could not be surrounded or penned up.

Moreover, Italy has a very vulnerable coast line. Practically all her big cities are on the coast while her industrial cities are within a few miles of the French border. Italy may go into the war before it is over; but my guess is that she will wait until the outcome is more certain. I should be very much surprised if Italy were foolish enough to get mixed up at the present time. If she does, it will not disturb the Allies very much; they would only like to know where she stands so they could cut their cloth accordingly.

Russia May Join Allies?

When it comes to Russia, that is another story. England has not said much against Russia. She is giving harsh orders to Germany and Italy; but not to Russia. England has a feeling that after Russia gets what she wants, (which apparently she now has to a certain extent) she will trade with the Allies or else remain truly neutral. She has part of Poland, a portion of Finland, and will soon get back some of Rumania which belonged to Russia for many years. Then, according to the British, Stalin will not bother with Hitler any more.



ROGER W. BABSON
'Watch Stalin!'

So, as I see the European picture, Stalin holds the winning cards. When the psychological moment comes, Stalin can lay down the peace terms and both sides will have to do pretty much as he says.

Russia also holds the aces in the Far East. Russia and Japan are natural enemies. They have already fought one war. At the present time neither Germany nor Italy can help Japan; neither has battleships in the Pacific. Japan can be helped only by England and France. If the European War should end tonight and the Allies should side with Chiang Kai-Shek, the Japanese would be compelled to move out of China. On the other hand, if England and France sided with Japan, Chiang Kai-Shek would have to give up. So Japan will try desperately to make terms with England and France.

Meanwhile, why should Russia stand idly by and let England and France make a deal with Japan? The Soviets will come in to the discussions and seek the friendship of the Allies. Russia cannot afford to have Japan get China. She then would be out on a limb! So it seems to me that when the time comes, Stalin will side with the Allies. Hence, the very natural thing is for Russia, England, and France to get together in the European conflict.

Therefore, I say to all business men and investors: Do not be upset by what is happening in Norway or even in the Balkans. Do not get frightened if the war extends to Sweden. These small countries must inevitably give up their independence to one side or the other. But —with eagle eyes—WATCH RUSSIA! Meanwhile, focus your attention on your own business. National activity is 10 per cent above the 1939 level. In the main, I am sticking to my New Year forecast for the first half of 1940—that business will average close to 10 per cent above the same months of a year ago!

Daughter Of Tom Mix To Appear In Willacy Show

Rodeo Set May 11-12 In Raymondville; Big Legion Auxiliary Dance To Follow



TOM MIX AND DAUGHTER (OF WILLACY)

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RAYMONDVILLE — Thirteenth annual two-day rodeo will be held here Saturday and Sunday, May 11 and 12, with prizes to winning cowboys in break-away roping, bronc riding, bull riding and wild cow milking, according to Howard Cragg, director.

Preceding the Saturday rodeo, a parade will be held here at 10:30 a. m. Street dance will be held Saturday night, sponsored by the local American Legion Auxiliary, on a rug 225 feet long.

Mrs. Ruth Mix Cragg, daughter of Tom Mix, and other local riders and ropers, will appear and contest for prizes. Mrs. Cragg has appeared at Madison Square Garden, with the Tom Mix Circus, and at the World's Fair, and is considered an expert roper and shot. One pair of hand-made Justin boots will be given to the winner in bronc riding each day, and to the winner in break-away roping, and Levi pants to the winner in bull riding.

Willacy riders appearing in the quadrille, feature of the rodeo, will include Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tate, Mr. and Mrs. Bryon Campbell, Maureen Cheney, Ray Cheney, Mr. and Mrs. Bland Durham, Fred Tate, Billy Conley, Mrs. Fay King, Jack Brady, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Woods, nad others.

Banquet Set

McAllen Rotary To Observe Founding

McALLEN — Rotarians of McAllen will observe their 20th anniversary with a banquet at the Casa de Palmas Hotel at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday. Ladies will be special guests.

Representatives of the San Benito club, which sponsored the establishment of the McAllen organization, will also be present. Joe Netzer of Laredo, district governor, will be a featured speaker.

E. A. Polzin, president of the McAllen club, will act as toastmaster.

Oil Men Are Warned Higher Taxes Coming

AMARILLO—(AP)—Panhandle oil men were told to "put on fighting clothes" and inform the public all money they take in isn't velvet if they expect to halt threatened additions to taxes they are now paying.

Speaking to the Panhandle Producers and Royalty Owners Association, George C. Gibbons, Dallas, executive vice president of the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association, declared "there seems to be in the air a lot of ideas that you men are filthy rich and ought to pay more."

New Panhandle Oil Laws Withdrawn

AUSTIN—(AP)—Proposed new regulations for the Panhandle oil field have been withdrawn indefinitely by the Texas Railroad Commission.

The regulations had been scheduled to become operative May 1. The commission said in a order made public Saturday that they were withdrawn "until the commission has had additional time in which to study their effect upon the reservoirs and the production of oil and gas." Meanwhile the old field rules were continued in effect.

Lake Charles Man To Head War Vets

SHREVEPORT, La.—(AP)—S. Arthur Knapp, Lake Charles, was elected new state commander of the United Spanish War Veterans and De Ridder named as the convention town for 1941 at the chief business session Saturday of the 18th encampment of the order.

Gen. J. Rosenthal, Alexandria, was elevated from junior vice-commander to senior vice-commander and Arthur Marullo, New Orleans, was elected junior vice commander.

We're Going to Have a

Close-Out Rummage Sale

STARTING TOMORROW MORNING

For Three Days—Monday • Tuesday • Wednesday

Nick-Nacks, "Odds and Ends", Discontinued Items . . . Some good, and some half shot . . . All must be sold . . . or traded for stamps. Come on in and rummage around.

No exchanges! No refunds! No returns! You buy at your own risk . . . but it will be lots of fun for the whole family. We'll hide your embarrassment from the public by frosting our windows.

MASON FRUIT JARS: Regular preserving jars complete with heavy-weight porcelain-lined jar cap, and extra thick live red-rubber jar rings—
½ Pint Size 2c Each Complete — One-Pint Size 3c Each Complete
The lids alone are worth about as much as we ask for the jar, cap and ring.

HIGH-QUALITY OIL MOPS: We got sleepy one day and while ordering these 49c mops . . . instead of ordering 12 . . . we slipped (and HOW) . . . and got 12 DOZEN . . . so—don't be alarmed . . . we're just as happy as though we had good sense. Come in and get a mop for only— 19c

The same day we happened to order a few galvanized metal buckets . . . and we seemingly stepped out of our line . . . No. 8's . . . take one home for only— 17c

and TUBS! Good old reliable galvanized metal tubs like folks used to save for Saturday nights . . . No. 0 size . . . You can have one of them for only— 39c

CELLOPHANE CURTAIN TIE-BACKS: they once (and we mean ONCE) sold for 15c a pair. Now you can have them for 5c a pair . . . or TWO pairs for 5c . . . either way you like . . . you be the judge.

PLUSH-COVERED NOVELTY DOGS: They are regular 98c values, but you can buy one of them now for only 69c
Or we'll sell you one of the regular $1.98 values tomorrow for only $1.29.

Here's a sort of decorative thing; a "Dog on Rug" affair . . . something like a centerpiece. No, we don't know what you'd want with one either, but it's a regular $1.98 value for only— $1.29

IF you're interested in CORNER WHAT NOTS come on in and we'll dust off a few . . . just so you can see the bargain you'll be getting at 39c
(no extra charge for any dust you take home with you).

SEWING CABINETS: Who wants to sew when it's so hot anyway? Well, if you insist, you can get a $1.49 value for 69c

SHOE-SHINE BOX: Don't suppose you'll ever use it to shine your own shoes—but they look good and catch dust; buy one for— 69c

Brown enameled oven-bake BEAN POT SET with six matching custard bowls; this is first class merchandise, guaranteed for two bakings. Want a set for $1.49? . . . Too much? . . . O. K. Take one for only 89c

Walnut finished MAGAZINE RACK; you know, those things you fall over, and hold everything but the one you are looking for. Regular $1.49 value— 79c

"Second-hand" ELECTRIC IRONS. We tested them once and they worked; they're trade-ins and repossessions— 39c

36-piece PICNIC PACKAGE; complete service for six people . . . can be used either by kinfolks or just friends; have 6 large paper plates, 6 ice-cream plates, 6 side plates, 6 napkins, 6 cups, and 6 spoons . . . all paper and can be used just once. Ideal set to have on hand because you might need a picnic lunch right quick. Regular 10c seller. 5c

Walnut finished WASTE PAPER BASKET; another good item to fall over, especially at night . . . made of solid hardwood. It's a regular $1.00 value, but we'll sell one for— 59c

Here's to the NAVY. An attractive and novel ANCHOR SHELF . . . something like a "what not" but different. Sure, things could fall off it. Was 98c . . . NOW only— 69c

These 3-foot AWNINGS are in our way. Only Friday night "Confucius" (our elevator boy in Brownsville) fell over a pile of them and skinned his nose . . . and we're mad enough to sell them now at only— 39c

PANELS: Only one of a kind . . . and what kinds they are. You might like them . . . we don't; Yours for the sum of 4c

CHILD ROCKERS: Have any children in your home? Or in a neighbor's home? Well, this is a regular $1.98 value . . . but now only— 98c

PHONOGRAPH RECORDS . . . Remember the old tunes? They may be on some of these records, for they're "sure-nuff" old . . . Some people might be tempted to almost call them "junk"; Bundle of TEN records for only 19c

WIENER ROASTERS . . . regular ten-cent value . . . good for at least one trip to the beach . . . maybe more if you don't lose them. Each at 5c

Got a SQUEAK in your home? Nothing like a can of HOUSEHOLD OIL to pour on the troubled hinges. You get a can full (and the can) for— 5c

STATUES of your comic (?) strip favorites . . .MAGGIE, or JIGS, or that old spinach-eating sailor called POPEYE . . . Good to throw . . . or knock over; might be attractive if well cared for. Regular 98c value— 49c

Did you ever cry when you peeled or chopped onions? Well, those good old days are gone forever . . . they've invented an ONION CHOPPER for— 19c

Kapok SOFA PILLOWS with fancy covers. Light enough to float; not much good in a pillow fight . . . could be called attractive— 29c

How about a nice DOLL and DOLL CARRIAGE? A regular $2.98 outfit that we are willing to let you take home (or take to someone else's home) for some little girl to get a lot of fun out of, for only— $1.49

Twin CANDY DISH . . . worth 29 cents . . . you don't have to be a twin to buy one . . . We'll sell one of these to anyone willing to risk only— 10c

Regular $1.49 FISH AQUARIUM for gold fish . . . or you might be able to put a few flowers in the bowl if you don't have a gold fish— 89c

Got a dime? Buy a three-piece regular 29c Mayonnaise dish and spoon for only ten cents. Or a regular 29c divided CANDY DISH for a dime.

WALL SHELVES: Stuck with a lot of them . . . . we think they'd look better in your home than in our stores. Good for bridge prizes; supposed to be hung up on the wall. Regular $1.39 and $1.49 values— 69c
Regular $1.69 and $1.98 values now at 89 cents each.

P. S.—All this junk, and dozens of other items that are not worth advertising, are mixed up with it. C'mon, take a chance on this stuff . . . we did . . . be a good sport . . . come see 'em, anyway

Of course you don't have any flies in your home—but we overbought on some 6-ounce cans of "FLY-DED" complete with spray gun. We don't have flies, either, so must get rid of this outfit to some one.

So—the spray gun and the 6-ounce can of "FLY-DED" are offered complete for only—

14c

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COUNTY BACK TAX PROGRAM SHOWS GAINS

Hidalgo Collections Holding Steady

EDINBURG—Hidalgo county has completed approximately one-fourth of the task outlined for her when county commissioners decided more than a year ago to press the work of clearing up delinquent taxes.

This estimate was made Saturday by Harry Hall, special county attorney in charge of delinquent tax collections, in a review of the property situation and a forecast of what it will undergo in the future.

In round figures, the county had about $2,000,000 in "collectable" delinquent taxes when its work was started with his designation as attorney in charge, Hall said. Last year's collections totalled about $450,000, or about one-fourth of the whole.

Instalment Payments

The work will continue steadily, with his staff working on the policy of getting delinquent taxpayers to start instalment payments rather than let the property go to public auction, Hall added. This is the theory on which the collection program has been based for the past year.

"The county in the long run will receive more actual cash and will have less property on its hands if this policy is continued," he predicted. Hall cited a number of instances in which both large and small property owners had become delinquent. They had almost decided, because of the large amount of taxes due, to let their holdings go to the county rather than redeem them, but had welcomed the instalment paying plan whereby over a period of time the overdue assessments were liquidated.

"If the county started filing tax suits right and left, taking judgments and acquiring the property where payments was not made, it would soon have a mass of acreage on its hands, unable to sell it and unable to realize any money from it," Hall said. "Instead, the property owner is retaining his land, is paying the back taxes in instalments, and the county is getting the money."

Endanger Valuation

Any large-scale collection drive through tax suits and consequent acquisition of property on the county's part would also endanger the county-wide valuations figure, on which major tax income is based, the attorney declared. He said such acquisition on 20,000 or 30,000 acres of land, as an example, would threaten reduction of land valuations from a county-wide total of about $35,000,000, as at present, to possibly $25,000,000 or less. The resultant loss in tax revenue would impair county finances irreparably, in his opinion.

Hall's office is now at work on a plan to check all delinquent property in the county on a basis of abandonment. He said this would clear up a great amount of detail work in setting proper values on such property.

Sad Mistake

Water Carriers Won't Get Oil Money

REYNOSA, Mexico— (AP) —Water carriers and others in Reynosa are going to be sadly disillusioned, local officials declared Saturday.

The carriers have come to believe that they will soon receive dividends from the government's confiscation and operation of foreign-owned oil properties.

Just how the misinformation was circulated, officials could not say, but they are having a hard time convincing the water carriers that they will not receive the oil dividend checks.

3 U. S. Ships Brave War Spread Threat And Sail For Spain

NEW YORK — (AP) — Despite the threat of trouble in the Mediterranean, three American ships, including the liner George Washington, with 225 passengers, sailed Saturday for Spain and Mediterranean ports.

The other ships are the United States line freighters Capulin and the American Export Lines' ship Excelsior.

Valley Woman Back From D.A.R. Parley

ALAMO — Mrs. E. S. Lammers, Alamo, returned Friday from a seven weeks' tour of the southern and eastern states and attendance at the D. A. R. Congress at Washington, D. C., where she was confirmed as state regent for Texas.

Mrs. Lammers was recently elected to the regency at the state D. A. R. meet in Denton. On the trip she attended the celebrated Azelea Trail Garden Week at Natchez, Miss., visited New York and several southern states.

WINTER VISITORS DINE

REYNOSA, Mexico—(AP)—Thirteen winter visitors of McAllen entertained Mrs. Cristina Guerra, Spanish instructor, with a dinner at Sam's Place here Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Marsden of Pennsylvania and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Perry of Oregon, were hosts. Special guests were Mr. and Mrs. Paul T. Vickers.

McCOLL RETURNS HOME

McALLEN—A. J. McColl, prominent McAllen land developer, seriously injured in an automobile crash several days ago, was dismissed from the McAllen Hospital Saturday and taken to his home. Physicians said his condition is still serious.

American Army Tests Its Blitzkrieg

70,000 Troops To 'Fight' In Biggest War Maneuvers In United States Peacetime History; Costs Taxpayers Million Dollars Per Day

By JAMES MARLOW

NEW ORLEANS —(AP)— The streamlined third army's 70,000 regulars begin moving Sunday for a million-dollar-a-day test of the nation's defense against lightning tactics now being used on the battlefields of Europe.

The war department has described the maneuver, costing about $28,000,000 and spreading in full force from May 11 through May 25 across western Louisiana and Eastern Texas, as the "high point in regular army training."

No foreign military attaches have been invited to witness this greatest peacetime war show in United States history.

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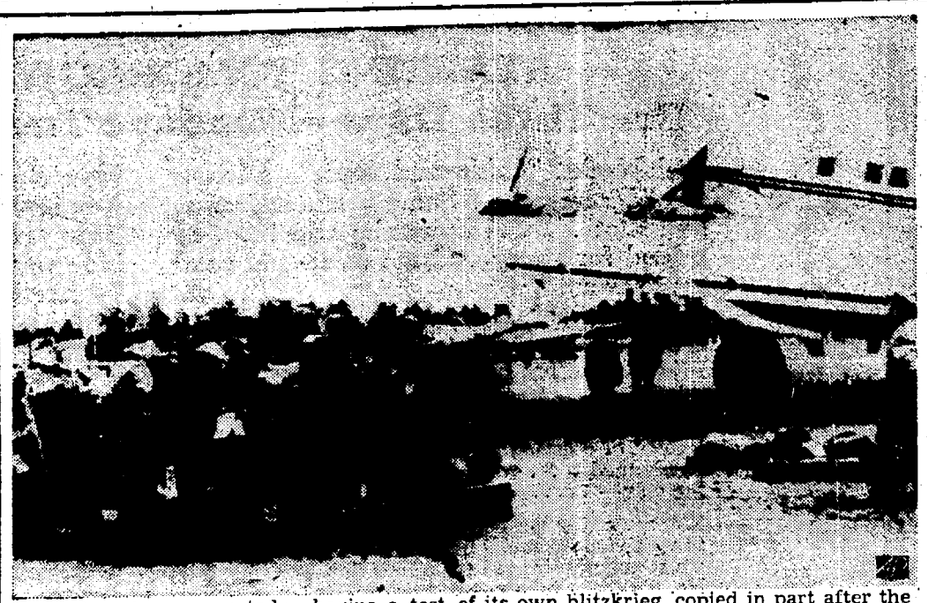
Learn From Germany

THE LESSONS LEARNED from the highly mobilized German army's blitzkrieg in Poland and even the motorized Italian columns in Ethiopia will be tested against an American background of cut-over pine land, valleys and rivers which army men termed probably the most ideal terrain in the nation for the problem at hand.

Regular army units from 33 states have been pulled into these "games" which will pit the "Blue" fourth corps, operating in Louisiana, against the invading "Red" 9th corps moving in from Texas across the Sabine river.

Probably the largest civilian corps ever organized to take part in American war games has been turned into an aircraft warning system in Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana and Arkansas. American legionnaires will be the backbone of this civilian group reporting on the movements of "Red" or invading army airplanes.

The quartermasters for months have been preparing to supply 177 freight carloads of food and 190 carloads of gasoline for the troops whose first units start moving at dawn Sunday toward Louisiana's make-believe battlefield.



The American army today begins a test of its own blitzkrieg, copied in part after the German style. Above is an example of how Germans use their blietzkrieg—a group of troops shown beside the huge transport plane which landed them in Oslo, Norwegian capital to reinforce earlier detachments which had occupied the city.

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At Full Strength

BOTH ARMY CORPS will have reached full strength by May 11 when they take up positions.

The clash will take place at top speed. For, from the conflicts abroad, the strategists have found that the shuttling of men and supplies by trucks permits a streamlined, "triangular" division to march 45 miles a day for long periods against 15 miles for the World war type of "square" division.

The new, more highly mobile "triangular" division needs less manpower—about 11,000 against 22,000 or more in the old type—and has three infantry regiments instead of four with a redisposition of artillery and supporting units.

The division—there are two or more to a corps—contains practically all of the various arms, is large enough to have effective striking force and small enough to be easily maneuvered and directed. Equipped with improved weapons, it has a fire power equivalent to that of the old-time divisions despite numerical inferiority.

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Animals Eliminated

ALL ANIMALS transportation of supplies has been eliminated. This strips the division to a fighting force which can be entrucked and moved 50 to 100 miles in a night as compared with the old rate of march of 12 to 15 miles.

A new type of cavalry fights from machines like tanks, armored or combat cars and scout cars.

Armed with rifles, machine guns, 37-MM guns and even 75-MM cannon, such a force has a wide radius of action with considerable striking power.

While the use of motors had already been thoroughly tried—as have the new weapons and type of equipment—the testing so far has been comparatively by units. The maneuvers this month will bring these units together on the grand scale.

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Plenty of Trucks

GENERAL GEORGE C. MARSHALL, chief of staff, said the 70,000 troops would have virtually complete transport and arms equipment for the games. He said mass orders for thousands of specially built military trucks had been so speeded at the war department's request that only a few 7 1-2-ton "prime movers" for heavy artillery would be missing.

"Some of the transport vehicles will be delivered during the maneuvers," he added, "but that is the sort of thing experienced in war time and war conditions will be simulated as far as possible."

Only the effect of projectiles will be missing. Camera guns and the observations of a hundred referees will estimate the

TOWN MEETING SET FRIDAY

San Benito Is To Sell Tickets Monday

SAN BENITO—The chamber of commerce Saturday set Friday, May 10, for the "town meeting" and annual chamber of commerce banquet. Claude L. Atkins, who is in charge of the meeting, said that tickets would be put on sale Monday for the dinner that is to be held at the Stonewall Jackson Hotel.

E. F. Brady, president of the chamber of commerce, will act as master of ceremonies and will probably have as the principal speaker Mayor Louis S. Witte. The new mayor is expected to outline many of the proposed programs of the city administration.

Brady will outline the chamber of commerce's program of work and policies for the coming year.

Atkins is urging that every citizen who is interested in the welfare and future well being of the city to be present at the meeting next Friday night. The price of the affair is expected to be very reasonable so as not to hinder anyone from attending.

Manager Don Wallace is preparing a special entertainment program for the "town meeting" that promises to be good.

POLICE CHIEF TO MAKE TALK

McRay Will Appear At School

BROWNSVILLE — Col John A. McRay, Brownsville chief of police, will talk on "Juvenile Delinquency" at the open forum session Monday night at the Brownsville junior college.

The session will be held in room 224 of the junior college-high school building, beginning at 8 p. m.

Fred J. Khouri, high school-junior college faculty member, who presides at the open forum sessions each week, urged Saturday that those who attend "bring suggestions for subjects for following meetings."

"There will be an important announcement at the open forum Monday night," he added, concerning programs at future sessions of the forum.

The weekly open forum sessions are for the general public, and all interested in current events are invited to attend, hear the different speakers, and take part in the discussions.

Meet Delayed

Valley Traffic Unit Meets May 21

HARLINGEN — The bi-monthly meeting of the Valley Traffic Safety Association, to have been held this Tuesday, May 7, in Brownsville, has been postponed in deference to the Negro minstrel being staged that evening by the Harlingen Fire Department, association officers announced here Saturday.

The association meeting will be held in Brownsville on May 21, at 8 p. m., it was announced.

Maltese Troops For Allies Leave Malta

MALTA— (AP) —A contingent of Maltese troops destined for overseas service marched through cheering crowds Saturday for an inspection by the governor. Royal air force planes patrolled the skies Friday night as this island, guarding Britain's life line of empire through the Mediterrancan, underwent a blackout.

HAYES TO SEE NAVY ROOKIES

Interviews Slated In Brownsville

BROWNSVILLE — Brownsville vicinity applicants for enlistment in the United States Navy will be interviewed at the federal building here Tuesday morning by I. B. Hayes, recruiting officer stationed at Harlingen.

Hayes will have an office on the fourth floor of the federal building for his Tuesday interviews.

Applicants for enlistment must be from 18 to 31 years of age, he said Saturday, and must pass physical and mental examinations.

Explaining the educational requirements for enlistment, Hayes said "many eligible young men have the impression graduation from high school is necessary for enlistment in the navy," and this has kept them from making application.

"No specified amount of education is required, all applicants being given a general classification test to determine their native intelligence."

Hayes Saturday outlined the navy's fleet program for the next few months, that will include many Valley men who now are enlisted in the service.

Following the main phase of naval maneuvers, the fleet has been at anchor in Pearl Harbor, Honolulu.

Departure from home bases is expected for May 8, with tactical exercises en route, and the ships will arrive at Southern California about May 17.

Spring gunnery exercises will be held until June 28, when battleships and cruisers will depart for visits to ports in Puget Sound and in the Columbia River, via San Francisco.

Designated submarines and destroyers will cruise to Alaskan ports.

Nazi Envoy Delays Return From Turkey

ANKARA, Turkey—(AP)—German Ambassador Franz Von Papen Saturday postponed indefinitely his departure for Berlin to report to Adolf Hitler on the latest developments in the Near East.

The ambassador had arranged to take a train Friday night, but his plans were changed at the last minute on receipt of new instructions from Berlin, it was said.

Hickley May Be Due For Commerce Post

HYDE PARK, N. Y.—(AP)—President Roosevelt disclosed Saturday he probably would appoint Robert Hickley as assistant secretary of commerce.

In some quarters the statement was viewed as an indication of an additional presidential effort to undermine opponents of a government reorganization plan which would shift the CAA into the commerce department.

A man never reaches the highest degree of contentment until he becomes perfectly indifferent and thn he has nothing to live for.

Ferries Formed Chief County Worry In 1852

First Hidalgo County Commissioners' Court Laid Down Strict Rules

McALLEN—Ferries were an awful bother to commissioners of Hidalgo County in 1852.

There were no worries about bonded indebtedness, tax collections, road building and operating expenses. Just ferries.

The county seat 88 years ago was located on the Rio Grande at Edinburgh. Of course, Edinburg is the present county seat, but the two are not the same. The original Edinburgh is now Hidalgo.

Hidalgo County was formed in 1852, seven years after Texas was admitted to the union and 16 years after the republic won independence from Mexico.

Records of the first commissioners' court meeting are still maintained in the county clerk's office at Edinburg. Slightly faded, the records are still legible, although some of the fancy handwriting of the records is difficult to read.

The county judge in those days had the high sounding title of chief justice. Holding down the office for the first time in Hidalgo County was M. M. Stevens. G. S. Wood was sheriff and P. N. Burne, Yndalecio Dominguez and E. T. Merriman were commissioners. Francisco Tagles was the treasurer and Thadeus Rhodes was the clerk.

The first meeting was held September 2, 1852. Business consisted of approving bonds of county officials and settling the ferry business.

The first resolution passed by the commission follows:

"Resolved: That there be established two public ferries, one in front of Edinburgh and the other in front of Saint Louis, to be rented at $5 per month each with the privilege of the extent of three miles up and down the river and that the rates of ferriage shall not exceed for each person 6 1-4 cents; each horse and rider 12 1-2 cents; each lead horse or mule 6 1-4 cents; each cart 50 cents; each mule and cargo 12 1-2 cents; each barrel of freight 6 1-4 cents; each goat, sheep or hog two cents; each wagon $1; each yoke of oxen 12 1-2 cents; all cattle 6 1-4 cents;

"That all other ferries within the county shall pay $1 per month each, except those at Capote, Grangeno and in front of Reynosa Vieja, which shall pay $2.50 each and by so doing shall have the privilege as those at Edinburgh and Saint Louis."

Sometimes a man longs for tomorrow because he is ashamed of what he did not do today.

BEAN MEETS SCHEDULED

San Benito, Jardin Groups Called

BROWNSVILLE — Castor bean growers, and farmers interested in growing this crop, will gather at two meetings next week, according to announcement here by L. P. Jenness, purchasing agent of the Woburn Industries, which is launching the move in the Valley.

The first meeting will be held Tuesday night, starting at 8 o'clock, in the El Jardin school.

The second meeting will be held Wednesday night at 8 o'clock in the San Benito high school building.

M. D. L. Van Over, executive director of the Woburn Industries, will speak at both meetings, explaining such matters as the planting and growing of the bean, harvesting, markets, and the like.

Mr. Van Over is now in Dallas, accompanied by Col. W. E. Talbot, manager of the Brownsville chamber of commerce, working out details for the beginning of the industry here.

The Woburn Industries is distributing seed at Brownsville to farmers desiring to plant this new crop. A goal of 30,000 acres has been set to supply beans and leaves for the first unit of the processing plant the company is to build here.

Size of the plant, Mr. Van Over explains, depends on the amount of the bean planted.

Oil will be extracted from the bean, the residue will be made into a fertilizer, and an insecticide will be made from the leaves.

Aged Actress Dies In Home For Chorus Girls She Founded

LONDON —(AP)— Mrs. Edward Compton, 87, American-born actress and mother of British stage star Fay Compton and novelist Compton MacKenzie, died Saturday at the London club she founded for destitute chorus girls.

She was active on the stage from 1865 until 15 years ago. In 1882 she married the English actor, Edward Compton.

DEWEY UPHELD IN MARYLAND

Stassen To Answer FD's Charges

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Chairman Gillette (D-Iowa) disclosed Saturday that the Senate campaign investigating committee had found "very little" basis for complaints against Thomas E. Dewey's campaign for Maryland's 16 delegates to the Republican national convention.

Gillette did not specify the nature of the complaints received by the committee, but other committe members reported they charged improper expenditures.

The delegates will be chosen at a primary Monday, and Dewey is the only Republican entered. Senatorial primaries also will be held then, and Gillette said that investigations of the Senate races gave "reason to believe that the election will be conducted in such a way as to insure a free expression of opinion by the voters of Maryland."

President Roosevelt's assertion Friday that presidential and congressional candidates should stop making blanket condemnation of administration acts and specify what they would do if they were in power drew a reply today from Governor Harold Stassen of Minnesota.

Stassen said that the keynote address he is to make at the Republican national convention in Philadelphia would "include some of the answers to the questions posed Friday by the President."

Live Wire Knocks Valley Man Down, Hurts Him Badly

HARLINGEN—Jack Garland, 35, Mercedes, employe of Reinhart and Donovan, Oklahoma City contractor firm, was a Valley Baptist Hospital patient Saturday with a broken leg and severe scalp wound suffered when he conducted a live wire on an REA project north of Sebastian and was knocked to the ground.

Attaches at the hospital said Garland's condition was not serious. The accident occurred prior to 2 p. m. Saturday, on the Rural Electrification Administration high power line near Sebastian.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED: Lady to cook for gentleman in trailer for passage to any point in Illinois or Indiana. Write Box M-100, Monitor, McAllen.

PRISONER ASKS FOR OVERTIME ON HIS JAIL TERM

PITTSBURGH— (AP) —Energetic Charles D. Delphey, Jr., wants credit for the overtime he's put in at the county jail.

Asking a parole after serving six months of a one to three year sentence for false pretense, Delphey explained he worked 16 hours daily and added:

"Figuring the average working day of a man at eight hours, I have done a year's work in six months."

County court will hear his petition later.

AGED WORKER KILLED

BROWNWOOD—(AP)—Roy Fletcher, 61, construction worker, Saturday died from injuries and exposure following a boat collision on lake Buchanan early Friday. He was employed at the dam and was brought to a hospital here.

McAllen Census Work Near End

McALLEN — Census enumerators Saturday apparently had ended their work in that section of McAllen west of Main street to 18th street and south of the highway, chamber of commerce officials announced.

The officials urged, however, that if anyone knows of individuals not counted to call the chamber of commerce and report the facts.

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Region 14 Fire Marshal Meet Slated In Harlingen May 8

'U.S. Knows What It's All About'

Archduke Otto Is Amazed



ARCHDUKE OTTO
Amazed At U. S. News

PARIS—(AP)—The young Archduke Otto, heir to the Hapsburg throne of Austria, arrived in Paris Saturday on his way back to his retreat in Belgium after a six-weeks "study tour" in the United States.

Otto told reporters that he had picked up several ideas which would prove useful "during the reconstruction of Central Europe after the Allied victory."

What surprised him most about the Americans, Otto said, was that they were "marvelously informed" on the European situation.

He said he was impressed by "the high plane" on which the United States presidential campaign was developing. "No petty wrangling," he said, "and no personal rivalries. The national interest dominates all."

CIVIC CENTER PLANS READY

Committee Will Get Blueprints

McALLEN — Blueprints for the proposed addition to the McAllen Chamber of Commerce building will be presented at a meeting of the building committee Tuesday by Architect M. L. Waller.

When final approval is given by the committee, the prints will be rushed to the state National Youth Administration headquarters by District Supervisor H. C. Green for approval on a building contract. If the NYA approval is granted, labor for construction of the building will be provided by the NYA.

Working on material cost estimates are J. B. Morton, W. E. Crawford and G. Aubrey Thomas.

The extension is being constructed to provide ample space for tourist entertainment next year and to accommodate small conventions which choose McAllen as a meeting place.

Roy Miller Denies Printed Statement On FD Third Term

DALLAS — (AP) — Roy Miller denied from Washington Saturday that he had made any statement to Frank C. Davis, Bexar county Garner leader, in regard to President Roosevelt's candidacy for re-election.

Miller was quoted by Davis in dispatches from San Antonio Friday night as having said that Roosevelt definitely is a third-term candidate. In San Antonio Saturday Davis said he had been misquoted, and stated that he told the reporter that his conversation had been with Tom Miller, Mayor of Austin.

Valley Pupils Take State Meet Seconds

AUSTIN—Valley high school interscholastic League regional winners, competing in the state meet here Friday and Saturday, came out with two second places.

Dick Spreckles of Stuart Place was second to Diane Luckett of Cameron in shorthand; and Phyllis Reynolds, McAllen, was second in newspaper feature story writing.

Fort Worth Oil Man Is Pneumonia Victim

FORT WORTH—(AP)—R. A. Jimmie Cox, 43, independent oil operator here for a number of years, died here Saturday.

He was stricken wth pneumonia in Brownwood Thursday night as he stood in the derrick of a well he had just brought in that day. He was returned to a hospital here Friday.

Arctic Explorer In Critical Condition

PORT CHESTER, N. Y.—(AP)—Dr. Frederick A. Cook, 77-year-old Arctic explorer, suffered a cerebral hemorrhage Friday night and was taken to United Hospital. His condition was described Saturday as "fair."

LIQUID GAS STUDY WILL TOP PARLEY

Marvin Hall Plans To Attend

HARLINGEN — The Region 14 meeting of city fire marshals and fire chiefs will be held here May 8 to discuss fire inspections and fire investigations as a means of reducing fire losses, according to word from State Fire Commissioner Marvin Hall, who will come here with Eugene Sanders, fire prevention chief and assistant state fire marshal.

Representing Harlingen will be Mayor Hugh Ramsey, Fire Marshal R. P. Bledsoe and Fire Chief Jake C. Childress. Fire fighters and city officials from 19 South Texas cities will come here.

To Discuss Gas

A feature of the meeting will be a discussion f liquified petroleum gases, led by A. J. Bommer, engineer of the Underwriters Laboratories, Dallas. Butane explosions which have occurred at Weslaco and other Texas communities during the past two or three years, Hall said, brought out certain facts which now confront city officials, and detailed discussion regarding the handling, storing and use of butane gas is to be held.

Fire and city officials who will attend the Harlingen meeting include Mayor William Cloughley, Fire Marshal V. C. Smith and Fire Chief Tut Cadell of Alamo; Mayor Royce Russell, Fire Marshal W. C. Walker of Brownsville; Mayor B. B. Roberts, and Fire Marshal J. C. Seiver, of Donna; Mayor Otis McDaniel and Fire Marshal H. B. Minyard of Edcouch; Fire Marshal A. R. Winningham and Fire Marshal Elbert Sanders of Edinburg; Fire Marshal C. O. Atkins and Fire Chief Jack Downs of Falfurrias; Mayor J. E. Pate of Hidalgo.

Many Expected

Mayor A. H. Moore, Fire Marshal Ben Noblett and Fire Chief J. R. Foust of La Feria; Mayor Ray H. Elliott of Lyford; Mayor Horace Etchison, Fire Marshal C. C. Eckhoff and Fire Chief A. S. Myers of McAllen; Dr. D. L. Heidrick, mayor, Fire Marshal R. L. Yearwood and Fire Chief J. L. Bates of Mercedes; Mayor Logan Duncan, and Fire Marshal Ray Landry of Mission; Fire Marshal J. O. Ridings and Fire Chief Ward Walters of Pharr; Mayor H. D. Campbell, Fire Marshal G. W. McDougald and Fire Chief Ed Stapleton, of Raymondville.

Mayor Louis S. Witte, Fire Marshal Arthur McMillian and Fire Chief C. L. Potter of San Benito; Mayor W. F. Good, Fire Marshal Harold Schafroth, and Fire Chief Bryan E. Harris; Mayor J. L. Compere, Jr., Fire Marshal S. B. Bledsoe and Fire Chief J. R. Sawyer.

Commerce Aide Post May Go To Hinckley

HYDE PARK, N. Y. —(AP)— An unusual presidential announcement that the post of Assistant secretary of Commerce probably would go to Rober H. Hinckley appeared Saturday night to be designated to court additional support in Congress for the controversial proposal to shift the Civil Aeronautics Authority into the framework of the Commerce Department.

Nazis Say British Warship Crew Lost

BERLIN —(AP)— DNB, the official German news agency, expressed its belief Saturday night that all hands were lost in what it officially described as the sinking of a 30,000 ton British battleship of the Queen Elizabeth class off Naini.

Such a battleship normally carries more than 1,100 men.

Germany Claims 98 British Ships Hit

BERLIN —(AP)— Germany has claimed that at least 98 British naval ships have been "sunk, destroyed or set afire" by Nazi air and naval action and mines in the eight month period from September 3, 1939 to May 3, 1940, an unofficial compilation showed Saturday night.



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This group of black face comedians will take part in the presentation of the Harlingen Firemen's Minstrel Show at municipal auditorium Tuesday at 8 p. m., proceeds of which will go toward the firemen's burial fund. From left to right they are Joe Junkin, S. R. "Chick" Horton, W. C. "Bill" Black, Miss Burrdee Whitley, C. E. "Happy Henderson, B. D. Whitley, director, and Ralph P. Bledsoe. In front are little Peggy Fitzgerald and Allan Fitzgerald.

Valley Citrus Grower Advocates New Plan To Solve Ills Of Young Industry

HARLINGEN—Establishment of a committee on a new basis to regulate the Valley citrus industry by fixing minimum prices, restricting shipment of low grades and small sizes of fruit, and raising an advertising fund is advocated by W. A. Mitchell, prominent Stuart Place grower, in a statement sent to The Star.

He suggests a planning committee composed of 12 persons, six growers, two independent shippers, one co-operative representative, one representative from the state department of agriculture, one banker and State Senator Rogers Kelley. It is suggested that someone who feels himself competent select a second person and that the two select a third and so on until 12 men are chosen.

The plan calls for consultation between the planning committee and another dozen of the most representative growers and shippers to go over the plan for the purpose of perfecting it.

The plan would not affect any marketing agreements, and growers would not be required to sign any pledge to market his fruit through independent or co-operative associations. He would sign a pledge, however, to observe regulations of the control committee. Shippers would be licensed. "It is my suggestion," Mitchell wrote, "that minimum prices be fixed for all fruit on the trees as follows: White Marsh $10, pink grapefruit $15 per ton and other varieties as the committee may deem proper."

The prices would be for marketable number two fruit or better and the price of juice fruit would be fixed as a minimum of seven dollars delivered to juice plants of five dollars per ton on trees. In harvesting, before fruit is ripe enough for juice, cash buyers would be required to harvest only fruit which would grade No. 2 or better until after December 1 or until juice plants begin operation. After juice plants open for business, cash buyers would be required to clean trees, but would pay the price set for No. 2 or better and five dollars for all fruit grading lower.

Shipment of fruit below No. 2 grade and smaller than 112's to fresh fruit markets would be prohibited.

No fruit would be allowed to be shipped before November 1 or thereafter until it is really good for human consumption.

Mitchell believes an advertising fund should be raised at so much per box assessment. A general assessment to cover all control as well as advertising might be made, he said.

Every possible safeguard through accounting and auditing should be provided for the expenditures of money by the conrtol committee which would be appointed to carry out the plan.

BORDER OFFICERS AUCTION A HOG TO RECOVER FEES

BROWNSVILLE—Wanna buy a hog?

The Brownsville police department has one that will be sold to the highest bidder, come May 9, at 10 a.m.

The animal has been in the city pound, until about $5 of pound fees have been chalked up against it.

It will be sold at the city pound, to the highest bidder, at 10 a.m. Thursday. The pound is located on Sixth street between Ringgold and Filmore.

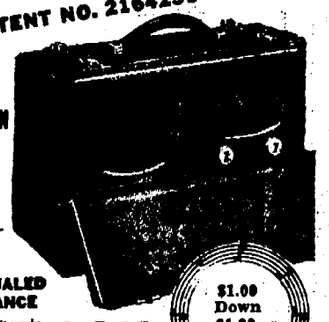
He's a gentleman hog, by the way.

Three Oil Companies Study Big Pipeline

NEW YORK— (AP) —A 1,200-mile pipe line from southeastern oil fields to southern Atlantic seaboard states is under study of three leading oil companies, it was learned Saturday.

The pipe line, which will cost from $15,000,000 to $20,000,000, according to present plans, if approved, would be built jointly by Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey, Standard Oil of Kentucky, and Shell Oil interests.

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LIBRARY SITE IS DEDICATED

San Benito To Start Finance Drive

SAN BENITO—Mayor Louis L. Witte, on behalf of the city commission Saturday presented the San Benito Public Library with dedication of the city park opposite the Stonewall Jackson Hotel to be used as a site for erection of proposed public library and community center now being studied.

Plans for the building have grown from the original proposed for a library only to a ten to fifteen thousand dollar structure to be used as a community center. Library officials said Saturday that present plans will probably be redrafted from present rambling ranch style to more appropriate design to harmonize with the new site.

A large group of finance campaign workers are making final arrangements for sale of library bonds to begin next week.

Down town headquarters for campaign workers will be in the Sublett Building.

All civic organizations are cooperating through the chamber of commerce for the drive headed by general committee of Mrs. O. L. Byrd, Mrs. J. O. Prentiss, Mrs. C. E. Barber, Mrs. J. D. Casey, W. W. Housewright, Bob Collins, Ted Mahone and Son Wallace.

Car Kills Texas Man Walking On Road

MINERAL WELLS—(AP)—A man identified by papers found on his body as Edgar Markham, 35, of Hawkins, Tex., was killed Saturday when he was struck by an automobile while walking down the highway.

The body was taken to Weatherford.

Child Catching Frog Is Drowned In River

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Jack Carroll, 11, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Carroll, drowned late Saturday afternoon in Clear Fork of the Trinity River, near Forest Park when he slipped and fell backwards while trying to catch a frog.

CRAMPS PROVE FATAL

OLNEY—(AP)—William E. Spoonts, 15, son of Megargel, drowned Saturday when he apparently was stricken by cramps while swimming.

LONESOME



When Mrs. John Hallinan went into a railroad station at Kansas City, her train left without her, but her 17-months old son, Johnny, was aboard. A railroad nurse cared for Johnny, but he didn't seem too happy over traveling alone when he arrived in Chicago (above). Mrs. Hallinan followed on a train an hour later.

Fisherman Drowned As Boat Overturns

DENTON—(AP)—Bob Harris, 35, drowned Saturday at Lake Dallas when a boat from which he was fishing with his 14-year-old son and Alvie Rich of Dallas overturned.

Rich towed the boy, who could not swim, about 400 feet to shore. Harris' body was recovered by Denton firemen an hour later.

1,200 WITNESS MAY PROGRAM

McAllen Fete Draws Large Crowd

McALLEN — McAllen's first annual May fete was staged Friday night at the high school athletic field before an estimated audience of 1,200 people.

Students of the Lincoln and McAllen junior high schools combined to present one of the most spectacular shows the school organizations have promoted in a long time.

May Queen Janet Losh was crowned by King Jimie Suttle after a retinue of 15 duchesses and their attendants filled the large flower-decked platform erected for the occasion. Beautifully dressed young student dancers presented a routine of 19 different colorful dances in addition to acrobatic feats performed by members of the school's gymnasium classes.

Around three May poles, the center of attraction in the field, gay traditional May time dances were presented.

Approximately 500 students from the two schools staged the program assisted by members of the schools' bands.

Financier Speaks

Donna Rotary Hears U. S. Gold Talk

DONNA—Outlining the duties of the small commercial bank to the community it serves, S. H. Collier, president of the First National Bank of Mercedes, spoke here Friday at Rotary Club luncheon on money and banking.

Collier said it apparently will be only a question of time until the United States government has the world's gold supply, since this nation holds about 70 per cent of the total now.

"What would be used as a stand for a rate of exchange in case the United States does get all the gold, is not known, nor is it known what method of distribution could be decided upon," Collier said.

James Westbrook, district supervisor of the Natoinal Youth Administration, talked on aims and objects of the NYA in the Valley.

Visiting Rotarians included Gregory Smith, H. P. Griffen, McAllen; Weber Dallman, Weslaco; Henry Samuels, Edinburg.

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Interpreting The War News

Norse Conquest May Still Prove Costly

Best British Can Claim, However, Is That They Retreated With Few Losses

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON

The factual picture resulting from less than four weeks of Allied-German fighting in Norway is grimly clear in an utter and stinging defeat for Franco-British arms; but it still could prove a pyrrhic victory for Germany.

The Allies went to save Norway from the clutch of the Nabi invader. They fled the field by order of the high command, under protection of the very Norwegians they sought to rescue but have apparently abandoned to their fate.

Hero Who Ran

It must cause sardonic amusement in Berlin that the first British soldier-hero of this war is the general who stage-managed the retreat from Trondheim with minimum losses. It could have been worse.

That is about the best that British public opinion, newly steeled to a grin-and-take-it mood by its war leaders, yet can make of those fast-paced weeks in Norway. But it clearly does not tell all the story.

Leaving aside the effect of the Trondheim episode on the leadership of Prime Minister Chamberlain of England and Premier Reynaud of France, events of incalculable consequence otherwise have been set in train by what happened in Norway. The nerve center of the Allied-German war has shifted back to southeastern Europe and the Mediterranean.

Il Duce Is Pivot

Rome and Il Duce, Mussolini, are the pivots on which the next happenings of major consequence seem destined to turn. The full heat of Allied force-politics has been turned on Italy to induce her to disclose her true role in the conflict.

In the face of defeat in Norway London and Paris are challenging the Rome-Berlin axis fellowship to a showdown. That they expect quick results to overshadow the Trondheim episode seems obvious.

Chamberlain muzzled his critics on the home front by hinting vaguely at impending greater developments which would prove the futile Allied attempt to save Trondheim to be a mere incident. Reynaud has left defense of Allied war leadership in this crisis to his British colleague. They necessarily stand or fall together and the test for both may come within days.

That either man can long survive politically against the brewing storm of criticism of the Norwegian adventure is doubtful.

Explanations Due

Conjecture is already astir as to what actually underlay both the German invasion of Norway and the apparently misjudged and futile Allied attempt to meet it. Parliament has been promised a fuller accounting this week by both Chamberlain and his leading military adviser, Winston Churchill. It will be a difficult assignment if they cannot show cause convincingly both for sending and withdrawing Allied landing forces.

DOLLAR DAYS PLANNED FOR BROWNSVILLE

May 6 Launches Big Monday Events

BROWNSVILLE — Four red-hot "Dollar Days" and an "Appreciation Day" when they may cash in again on the bargain offers, are in store for Brownsville and Valley residents.

Beginning May 6, "Dollar Day" specials will be offered each of four Mondays, by 34 Brownsville merchants, in a campaign being staged by the Brownsville Chamber of Commerce merchants' committee in cooperation with the Brownsville Herald.

On "Appreciation Day," the fifth Monday, customers can "cash in" the "appreciation money" they receive from purchases on the four "Dollar Days."

List Specials

On the Sunday preceding each "Dollar Day," advertisements in the Valley Sunday Star-Monitor-Herald will advise customers of the red-hot specials being offered.

Each merchant will advertise only one special, to be sold for $1, on each of the "Dollar Days." Other bargains, however, will be found in the stores.

"Appreciation money" will be presented on the purchase of any article in the cooperating stores on the different "Dollar Days."

For each 20 cents of purchases on "Dollar Days," the merchants will present one "appreciation money" coupon, worth one cent "cash" on purchases of merchandise in any of the cooperating stores.

Cash Equivalent

On "Appreciation Day," the fifth Monday, the coupons become the equivalent of cash, and can be used for purchase at any of the cooperating stores.

Coupons from several different stores can be "cashed in" at any of the cooperating stores, on "Appreciation Day," regardless of which business establishment or establishments presented the coupons.

The coupons actually are worth one cent, on "Appreciation Day," for the purchase of merchandise at the cooperating stores.

George Aziz is chairman of the chamber of commerce merchants' committee cooperating with the Herald for the big "Dollar Days" program.

Lewis Chairman

R. W. Lewis is chairman of the "Dollar Days" and "Appreciation Day" events, and any additional information concerning the program can be obtained from him at the F. W. Woolworth store.

All cooperating stores and the chamber of commerce are planning moves to further the "Dollar Day" events and secure the largest possible participation of customers in the five-week program of bargains.

The city's streets will be decorated with dollar marks to call customers' attention each of the days on which the red-hot specials are offered and the "appreciation money" distributed.

Wear Dollar Bills

Clerks in the stores will wear dollar bills on their neckties, to remind all shoppers to look for the "Dollar Day" specials and to obtain their "appreciation money."

All of the participating stores will be decorated with "Dollar Day" pennants.

The advertisements appearing in the newspaper the Sunday before each "Dollar Day" will set forth the different specials for each day. New $7 specials will be announced each Sunday for the Monday following.

The advertisement appearing the Sunday before "Appreciation Day" will list other bargains, not necessarily $1 items, to aid the customer in "spending" his "appreciation money."

Merchants Co-operating

Merchants cooperating in the "Dollar Days" and "Appreciation Day" events are as follows:

Aziz Brothers, the Book Inn, Berwald Shoe Store, Bollack's Department Store, Batsell-Wells Sporting Goods, Brownsville Hardware Company, the Cotton Shop, Collins Toggery, Center Grocery, Dorfman's Jewelry Store.

Den-Russ Pharmacy, Edelstein's Better Furniture, (Brownsville store only), Eagle Pharmacy, Inc., Firestone Service Store, Gimble's Ladies' Wear, Grant's Department Store, Jitney Jungle Stores (Brownsville only), Lackner's Jewelry Store, Inc., Lion Auto Store Leon the Hairstylist, Manautou's Department Store, Mary-Frances Shop.

Model Laundry, McChesney Department Store, J. C. Penny Company, Perl Brothers—Fashion Piggly Wiggly Store, Pipkin-Manske Motors, A. Rogers Photo Company Sherwin Williams Paints, Samano's Drug Store, Valentin's Department Store, Western Auto Supply, Woolworth's Store.

Ex-Convicts Held

2 Negroes Charged In Knife Murders

FRESNO, Calif.—(AP)—Two Negro ex-convicts were arrested in Fresno Saturday and will be charged, police said, with the knife murders of a young man and woman in Stockton.

Detective Sergeants A. B. McCreary of Fresno and R. C. Parker of Stockton said the men arrested were Henry Jones, 38, and Dewey Clark, 29, both former inmates of a prison camp at Keene, Kern county.

The slain persons were Nathan Chinchiolo, 23, Stockton; and his girl companion, Dorothy Woofter, 19. They were found dead in a wheat field. Both victims' throats had been slashed, and Miss Woofter had been raped.

Mexico City-Laredo Highway Endangered By Fogs And Clouds

MEXICO CITY—(AP)—The highway division of the secretary of communications and public works Saturday warned motorists to travel with caution in the mountainous region of the Pan-American highway between Mexico City and Laredo, because of thick fog and poor visibility.

Mercury Mines In Mexico May Face Threat Of Strike

MEXICO CITY —(AP)— Mexico's most important mercury mines, located in Huizunco, State of Guerrero, were threatened Saturday with a strike May 11 as workers demanded a 50 per cent increase in their wages.

Fugitive Is Sought

CHANDLER, Okla.—(AP)—County Attorney Frank McVey said Saturday that Dick Broyles, Oklahoma fugitive from a Texas prison, would stand trial here for the armed robbery of a Stroud filling station Monday night.

Head For Maneuvers

SELFRIDGE FIELD, Mich.—(AP)—Twenty-eight pursuit ships and 13 transport planes carrying maintenance crews left the army air field here Saturday for Louisiana to participate in extensive maneuvers based on the latest lessons from the battle fields of Europe.

Save With Used
BRICK
Lumberman Langford
BROWNSVILLE

Come to Brownsvil



34 Bargains!

With Each 20c Purchase Monday You Get App

Here Are Some of The Many Values Yo

LOOK! READ!

Summer Ties
Regularly $1.00 Value
Choice Assortment—
Dollar Day Special— 2 for only $1
COLLINS TOGGERY
Twelfth and Elizabeth

FREE
One 10c Package NEWPORT COFFEE
One 10c Package Brown's SALTINES
$1.00 Worth of Groceries
(Your Own Selection)
Total Value $1.20—
Dollar Day Special—All for ... $1
JITNEY JUNGLE
BROWNSVILLE STORES ONLY

Attractive Metal
Smoking Stand
Regular $1.49 Value
Dollar Day Special $1
Edelstein's Better Furniture
No Coupons with Rummage Sale Purchases
BROWNSVILLE STORE ONLY

FREE!
Any 10c ITEM in our store with the purchases of other merchandise amounting to $1
W. F. WOOLWORTH CO.

Men's Good Quality
FANCY STRIPED BROADCLOTH SHORTS
Exceptional Value at 25c each
DOLLAR DAY PRICE 5 FOR $1
E. MANAUTOU
12th and Washington

FREE!
$1.00 Worth of Wallpaper with every $1.00 worth purchased at regular price. $1
See Other $1.00 Paint Specials in Our Store
SHERWIN-WILLIAMS CO.
1240 Elizabeth — Phone 1181

8 Ice Teaspoons
or
8 Salad Forks
Guaranteed Silver Made by International Silver Co.
Regular $2 Value, Dollar Day Price— $1
Dorfman's Jewelry Store
The Valley's Finest for More Than 16 Years

Shampoo, Finger Wave, Manicure
1.25 Value—All For $1
Appointments must be made and filled on Monday or as early as possible thereafter.
LEON The Hairstylist
Phone 1121

4 Pieces of Popular SHEET MUSIC
35c each, a $1.40 Value—
SPECIAL FOR $1
"The Singing Hills", "How High the Moon", "A Lover's Lullaby", "Darn That Dream", "Too Romantic", "Ooh! What You Said", and others.
THE BOOK INN
Capitol Theatre Bldg. — Phone 1683

Pyrex Ware
DOUBLE DUTY CASSEROLE—Round utility cover, 1½ qt. size. Regularly 65c—
SIX 5-OZ. DAINTY CUSTARD CUPS—Thin, rimless, regularly 39c—
9-INCH PIE PLATE—Regularly 25c—
MEASURING CUP—Regularly 15c—
TOTAL VALUE $1.44, ALL FOR $1
BROWNSVILLE HDW. CO.
1126 WASHINGTON — PHONE 668

NATIONALLY KNOWN
SHIRTCRAFT "AIRMAN" SHIRTS
Regularly sold for $1.65
DOLLAR DAY SPECIAL $1
PERL BROS.—FASHION STORE FOR MEN

BRAKE ADJUSTMENT, RE-PACK FRONT WHEELS
with Fibre Grease
Tighten Spring U-Bolts—
A 2.50 Value $1
FIRESTONE AUTO SUPPLY & SERVICE STORES
GORDON WHITE, MGR.
703 Elizabeth St. — Phone 671

Boys' Knit Zipper Front
POLO SHIRTS
Regular 59c Shirts
DOLLAR DAY PRICE 4 for $1
Please look at our windows for other Dollar Day Specials
AZIZ BROS. Brownsville

FREE!
1 Can of Bee Brand Insect Spray—
With the purchase of canned goods totaling $1
CENTER GRO. & MKT.

ITALIAN BALM 25c
DRESKIN COOLIES 20c
WOODBURY SOAP 10c
WOODBURY CREAM 50c
CALOX TOOTH POWDER 30c
WEST TOOTH BRUSH 25c
Total Value $1.80
SPECIAL OFFER $1
Select your Mother's remembrance for Mother's Day, May 12, from our nice line.
EAGLE PHARMACY, Inc.
787 Elizabeth — Phone 36

Lace Panels
USUAL SCRANTON QUALITY
Beautiful biege lace, standard window size. Limit 6 per customer.
2 For $1
(1.58 Value)
BOLLACK'S

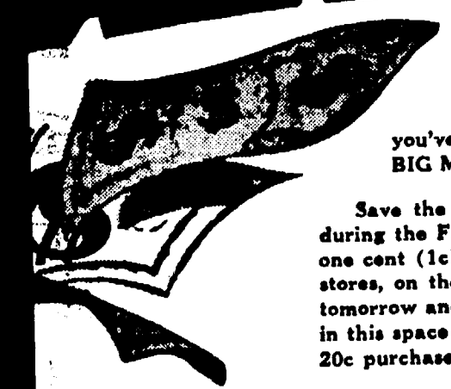
1 Basket of H. E. B. Brand
Groceries Values $1.19
Your Own Selection
Dollar Day Special Only $1
PIGGLY WIGGLY Brownsville

This Is Your Opportunity to Save Dollars!

Tomorrow Is a Dollar Monday. Come to Brownsville. Spend and Save

le Monday! for It's...

AIR DAY



Tomorrow will be the first of FIVE BIG MONDAYS in Brownsville. The first four will be DOLLAR MONDAYS—each a Dollar Day that will bring you values you've often wished for but very seldom ever seen. The FIFTH BIG MONDAY, June 3rd, will be APPRECIATION DAY!

Save the Appreciation Money given you with each 20c purchase during the FOUR DOLLAR MONDAYS. Each certificate is good for one cent (1c) and may be used as cash in any of the 34 participating stores, on the FIFTH BIG MONDAY, APPRECIATION DAY! Start tomorrow and patronize the participating merchants offering bargains in this space . . . each will give you Appreciation Money with every 20c purchase made on Monday.

Don't Forget MONDAY'S the BIG DAY!

reciation Money FREE . . . . . Good for CASH!

u'll Find in Brownsville . . . Tomorrow.

Heavy Duty, High Quality
Inner Tubes
ALL SIZES
4.40 x 21, 4.50 x 21, 4.75 x 19,
5.25 x 18, 5.50 x 18, 5.25 x 17,
5.50 x 17, 6.00 x 16, 6.00 x 17.
Regularly priced to 2.00—
While they last $1
LION AUTO STORE
Home Owned — Home Operated

DeLuxe 1-Gallon Pour-Spout
THERMIC JUG
SANITARY — RUST-PROOF
Regular $1.69 Value—
Dollar Day Special Only $1
Western Auto Associate Store
1207 ELIZABETH

BUY! SAVE!

FREE!
8 Salad Forks or
8 Ice Teaspoons Selling
Regularly for $1
WITH THE PURCHASE
of a 26-piece set of Silverware
for $5.00.
R. L. LACKNER Jeweler and Optometrist
"The Valley's Oldest Established Jeweler"

One Ladies' Printed
Rayon Crepe Dress
$1.49 Value
Special on Dollar Day Only $1
McChesney's Dry Goods Store
Eleventh Between Elizabeth and Washington

Pocket Knives
The Famous Ka-Bar.
Any Knife up to
1.45, Special $1
See Our Window for Other
$1.00 Bargains
BATSELL-WELLS
Exclusive Sporting Goods

Wash and Grease Job
Any Make Car
$1.75 Value
Dollar Day Special Only $1
PIPKIN-MANSKE MOTORS
Super-Service Station — 9th & Levee

Your Mother's Day Gift . . . .
BEAUTIFUL
11 x 14 ETCHING EFFECT
PORTRAIT SPECIAL . .
Appointments must be made
and collected for on Monday.
SEE OUR SPECIAL $1.00 WINDOW $1
A. ROGERS PHOTO CO.
1117 Levee Phone 99

WASHABLE
Rayon Prints
Fast Color — 39 inches wide
Brand New Summer Prints
3 Yards for $1
This Was Much More
J. C. PENNEY CO., Inc.
Your Brownsville Penney Store

1 LOT OF KID
SANDALS
Genuine leather—White, Brown
and white. Were 2.85 and 3.85.
SPECIAL $1
BERWALD'S SHOE STORE

Regular 19c the Yard
Sheer Remnants
8 Yards on Dollar Day Only
or 12½c the Yard $1
1,000 yards of printed dimities, voiles and organdies at less than cost price if bought on the bolt.
W. T. GRANT CO.
1117 Elizabeth

BLANKETS
LAUNDERED OR
DRY CLEANED
(Any Size)
4 FOR $1
MODEL LAUNDRY
and Dry Cleaning Company, Inc.
Phone 1

$2.00 BOTTLE
Dorothy Gray Blustering
Weather Lotion
Dollar Day Special Only $1
SAMANO'S DRUG STORE
Next to Penney's

Suede and Cape
BELTS
Whites and Pastel Shades.
Latest Style Buckles.
REGULARLY 1.98
SPECIAL $1
MARY-FRANCES SHOP

LADIES'
Summer Bags
You'll like the new styles
Regularly $1.50
Dollar Day Price, each— $1
Vari-Colored Kid
GIMBLE'S LADIES' WEAR
1155 Elizabeth

1.00 JAR OF BOYER
Mystery Cleansing Cream
50c BOX OF BOYER
Flowers of Beauty Face Powder
25c BOTTLE OF BOYER
Liquid French Brilliantine
ALL FOR $1
Other Specials Throughout Our Store
DEN-RUSS PHARMACY

Dress Lengths
3, 3½ and 4-Yd. Lengths
Big Selection of Patterns
Silk Crepes and Rayons
$1.50 Values—Dollar Day Only $1
VALENTIN'S DEPT. STORE
Eleventh and Washington

"MARCY LEE" DRESSES
Special Group of 1.98 Values
All sizes, 9 to 17 and 12 to 46.
Washable materials . . . . Spuns,
Sheers, etc.
SPECIAL $1
COTTON SHOP
Queen Theatre Annex

Ask for Appreciation Money
Save Your Appreciation Money. Redeemable

When Buying
Monday, June 3rd.

Valley-Dallas Aerial Runs Start Monday

Head Of New Plane Freight Service Foresees National Development For Project

McALLEN—Regular air freight service between Dallas and the Lower Rio Grande Valley will begin Monday, Bob Trego, president of Texas Air Freights, Inc., announced in a communication received here Saturday.

A plane will leave Dallas at 12:30 a.m. Monday, arriving in McAllen at 7:30 or 8 a.m.

Trego declared that the flight would mark the first step "in the most important development in air transportation in the United States.

It is our belief that with the inauguration of air freight service between Dallas and the Valley cities we are beginning the first section of what will be a nation-wide air freight service."

"We believe, and will very shortly prove our contention, that many pounds of air freight will be leaving Dallas for the Valley every night and as much arriving in Dallas from the Valley every morning. As soon as this point is reached, Texas Air Freights will announce its first expansion plans and the purchase of new, larger and faster equipment."

Trego said the air freight planes will travel at night. When a shipment can originate at the close of a business day and be delivered in a distant city with the opening of business the next morning the service that transports it will be offering its greatest value, he said.

"I expect Texas Air Freights to be a proving ground that will show the need for the economic soundness of air freight. Shipments by air can effect tremendous savings for businesses which are losing valuable time when their shipments are in transit during business hours."

G. H. Borne Dies

Old Settler Passes After Sickness

EDINBURG—George H. Borne, 68, Edinburg farmer, died Saturday at 3 p.m. at his home two miles east of here, after a short illness.

Funeral services will probably be held Monday at 8:15 a.m., at Sacred Heart Catholic Church here, with Father Kennedy officiating. Burial will be at Hillcrest Memorial Park, Edinburg, under direction of Skinners.

Surviving are the wife, Mrs. Helen Borne; a daughter, Mrs. Frank Boss, Edinburg; and a son, Hilary Borne, Preston, Kan.

Borne moved to the Valley in 1920, and after farming near San Juan for nine years, moved here. He was a native of Germany.

The Weather

THE VALLEY: Fair Sunday and Monday. Slightly cooler Monday.

ARIZONA: Fair Sunday and Monday except increasing cloudiness north portion Sunday with scattered showers northwest portion late Sunday or early Monday. Slightly cooler Monday.

NEW MEXICO: Fair Sunday and Monday with high cloudiness increasing Monday and scattered showers northwest portion Monday. Slightly cooler northwest portion Monday.

WEST TEXAS: Fair with variable high cloudiness Sunday and Monday. Little change in temperature.

OKLAHOMA: Fair, warmer central and east portions Sunday; Monday fair central and west, scattered thundershowers extreme east, cooler west and north portions.

EAST TEXAS: Partly cloudy to cloudy Sunday; Monday cloudy, scattered showers, cooler in the interior. Fresh southerly winds on the coast.

Tabular data are for the 24 hours preceding 6:30 a.m. yesterday.

STATION	Lowest last night	Highest last 24 hours	Precipitation (inches
Abilene	70	93	.00
Albuquerque	54	88	.00
Amarillo	54	94	.00
Atlanta, Ga.	40	67	.00
Austin	64	91	.00
Boise, Idaho	46	69	.00
Boston, Mass.	45	71	.10
Brownsville	74	85	.00
Br'ville Airp't	74	87	.00
Chicago, Ill.	38	44	.00
Cincinnati, Ohio	38	45	.04
Cleveland, Ohio	40	41	.06
Corpus Christi	69	90	.01
Corpus Christi	69	90	.01
Dallas	62	92	.00
Del Rio	72	93	.00
Denver, Colo.	50	84	.00
Dodge City, Kan.	54	82	.00
El Paso	63	92	.00
Fort Smith, Ark.	56	83	.00
Helena, Mont.	34	65	.00
Houston	61	90	.00
Huron, S. Dak.	53	70	.00
Jacksonville, Fla.	53	75	.00
Kansas City, Mo.	50	68	.00
Los Angeles	52	73	.00
Memphis, Tenn.	42	73	.00
Miami, Fla.	64	81	.00
Mpls. St. P. Minn	40	65	.00
Modena, Utah	44	75	.00
New Orleans, La.	65	81	.00
North Platte, Nebr	50	79	.00
Oklahoma City,	63	84	.00
Palestine	63	87	.00
Pensacola, Fla.	56	80	.00
Phoenix, Ariz.	58	100	.00
Port Arthur	66	84	.00
Portland, Ore.	47	71	.34
Roswell, N. M.	52	85	.00
St. Louis, Mo.	37	60	.00
Salt Lake City,	50	75	.00
San Antonio	67	94	.00
San Francisco,	53	64	.20
Sheridan, Wyo.	38	75	.00
Shreveport, La.	60	89	.00
Tampa, Fla.	68	—	.00
Vicksburg, Miss.	55	81	.00
Washington, D. C.	45	53	.00
Williston, N. D.	43	78	.00
Wilmington, N. C.	48	65	.00
Winnemucca, Nev.	37	72	.00
* DEL MAR	74	78	

*Unofficial, Courtesy Chamber of Commerce.

Acrobats Spread On

ROCHESTER, Ind. —(AP)— Snow fell and the elephants shivered as Cole Brothers Circus gave its first 1940 show under canvas.

Acrobats met the situation by coating themselves with thick layers of grease—a la channel swimmer.

LEADER
Gasoline
Batteries, Auto Accessories
Pan American
24-Hour Service Station
14th, Monroe



HOTEL GROUP FROM MEXICO DUE TUESDAY

Valley Side Trip Is On Schedule

McALLEN—Valley hotel officials prepared Saturday to entertain the Northern Mexico Hotel Men's association Tuesday on a post-convention tour of the Valley and South Texas.

The group, about 30 in number, will be met at the International bridge at Hidalgo, by the Valley Hotel Men's Association and representatives of the Valley Secretaries Association.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Lomax, owners of the Casa de Palmas Hotel, will entertain the visitors at a luncheon Tuesday at their hotel. Leaving McAllen, the group will be taken on a tour of the Lower Valley. Tuesday night they will be guests of the Madison and Reese-Wil-Mond Hotels in Harlingen.

According to present plans, the Mexican hotel officials will leave the Valley Wednesday for San Antonio and will return to Monterrey Thursday via Laredo.

The tour will be an aftermath to the first annual association convention which opened Sunday in Monterrey. They will be accompanied here by Enrique Trevino Garcia, manager of the Monterrey chamber of commerce.

Wins In Stumble

Damages Are Given To Sebastian Man

BROWNSVILLE—For injuries allegedly received when he stumbled over a case of empty beer bottles, a civil district court jury here recently found Frank Childress, 51-year-old Sebastian barber, entitled to $2,500 damages.

Childress sued the Magnolia Beer Company, and others, for damages. He suffered injuries to his left ankle, lower leg and knees, he alleged, when he stumbled over a case of empty beer bottles, November 11, 1939, at Frank's Cafe in Sebastian.

The bottle case, according to the plaintiff's allegations, was on the floor just within the door of the cafe.

Netherlands Prepare For 'Trojan Horse' By Arresting 21

THE HAGUE —(AP)— Premier Derek Jan E. Geer told the nation in a broadcast Saturday that 21 persons "who endangered the security" of The Netherlands were arrested and interned during the night.

One of those placed under arrest was M. M. Rost Van Tonningen, a Nazi member of parliament and editor of the National-Socialist newspaper Nationale Dagblad.

Coast Guard Cutter Visits Port Isabel

PORT ISABEL—The Coast Guard cutter Woodbury, out of Galveston, docked here Saturday morning with an inspector for a tour of the Brazos Island station.

The Woodbury, formerly stationed at Corpus Christi, is expected to leave Sunday morning. On patrol work north to Baltimore, Md., the cutter has traveled 19,000 miles since January.

Flemish Nationals Arrested For Plot

BRUSSELS —(AP)— Two Flemish Nationalists were arrested Saturday at Hasselt under a new government decree against persons propagating "indiscipline or demoralization" in the army. A military spokesman said it was designed to prevent subversive activity in the army.

Cameron Court Sets Meeting For May 8

BRONWSVILLE—Cameron county commissioners will meet Wednesday morning in the county courtroom of the courthouse here, County Judge Oscar C. Dancy said Saturday.

The ancient city of Queretaro, one of the favorite residences of Maximilian and Carolita, soon will be connected with Mexico City by paved highway. Queretaro, renowned for strawberries and opals, also is famous as the center of a great "charro," or Mexican skilled horseman club.

February shipments of crude and refined petroleum products from the Texaco and Gulf refineries at Port Arthur totaled 8,425,388 barrels, the smallest for any month in more than a year. Only 36 ships from foreign ports called during the month compared with the usual 60 or more.

THREE CITIES NEARING END OF COUNTING

Census Completed In Some Areas

HARLINGEN — The population census was reported "98 per cent complete" in San Benito, Weslaco and Mission this week and it is understood that the chambers of commerce in those cities are prepared to go forward with check-up plans.

Valley cities have been advised that they will be informed when the census reaches the "approximately completed" stage so that local committees or other organizations may proceed with a check-up to determine which citizens may have been overlooked.

Districts Completed

It is understood that seven districts have been completed in Harlingen and that work is still going on in other districts.

William C. Anderson, chairman of the chamber of commerce census committee, reported Thursday that school children from the Mexiquito district had turned in 500 names of uncounted persons but census officials indicated that a late start had been made there because of the difficulty in obtaining a qualified enumerator for that area. Anderson said that another appeal might be made through the school for uncounted persons after the census work progressed a bit further.

Francis W. Pulliam of Laredo, district supervisor, was in the Valley this week and again assured Valley chamber of commerce secretaries that the books would not be closed until everyone had been counted. Pulliam visited chamber of commerce executives from Mission to Brownsville. He met with Cameron county enumerators in Harlingen and all except two out of 62 were present.

Largest in America

This is reported the largest census district in the United States as to area and twice as large as any other district according to population.

E. D. Salinas of Laredo, president general of the League of United Latin-American Citizens, has issued an appeal to all Latin-Americans to co-operate in every way and answer all census questions.

PRECINCTS HOLD VALLEY MEETS

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what the army is building up to in the Sabine River bottoms of East Texas.

The precinct conventions Saturday were initial warm-up maneuvers. Tuesday maneuvers become more intense, as county conventions are held, by both the Democratic and the Republican parties in Texas.

Up to the state convention, then to the national convention — then Democrats and Republicans meet in "war games" on a national political front.

Another similarity that perhaps shouldn't be carried too far—the troops engaged in East Texas maneuvers probably have little idea of what comes next, while a few commanding officers have all details neatly worked out — conceivably could prove true in the political "war" that will culminate present maneuvers.

Cameron county's Democratic delegates, sent up from Saturday's precinct sessions, will gather Tuesday in the district courtroom of the Cameron county courthouse in Brownsville, at 2 p.m.

Cameron Republicans will hold their county convention Tuesday at the Brownsville Chamber of Commerce, at 2:30 p.m., with a meeting of the executive committee just preceding.

REPUBLICANS TURN OUT HEAVIER FOR MEETS

HARLINGEN — Republicans apparently took more interest in their precinct conventions in the four Harlingen precincts than Democrats evidenced in their respective meetings Saturday, though no one convention of either party drew a crowd.

Republicans mustered some 50 delegates for the four Harlingen meetings, 20 of them attending the precinct 31 convention. Six to eight attended each of the four Democratic sessions. Precinct 30, of the Democrats, which instructed its delegation to support Garner for president, and endorsed the administration, named Lloyd Stiernberg, Monty Colvin, M. V. Caul and J. A. Seagrove, delegates, with O. P. Storm as alternate.

Precincts 31 and 32 of Democrats passed no resolutions, leaving their delegates untinstructed. The former group named Polk Hornaday, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown and Mrs. J. J. Murray as delegates, with Chairman Lloyd Thompson authorized to appoint needed alternates; while precinct 32 listed Chas. H. Brown, A. W. Cunningham, R. B. Hamilton, E. C. Bennet, A. A. Klein, C. C. Bryant, H. C. Ware, John C. Myrick, I. G. Nichols and E. W. Anglin as delegates.

GARNER ENDORSED FOR PRESIDENT BY McALLEN

McALLEN — Resolutions endorsing Vice President John Nance Garner of Texas for the presidency were passed by Democrats of McAllen meeting in precinct conventions here Saturday to select delegates to the county convention. Republicans held similar meetings.

Ten delegates to the Democratic county convention to be held at Edinburg Tuesday were named in both McAllen precincts.

Those chosen from the North McAllen box were Homer Leonard, Ramon Guerra, P. A. Graning, Jodie Polk, Harry Starr, W. J. Burris, C. J. Fitz, Mrs. John I. Gwinn, T. J. Powell and Cecil Fulton. Scott Dankers was named secretary.

Delegates from the South McAllen box will be W. C. Tisdale, Mrs. D. P. Germane (also secretary), I. D. Herrera, J. D. McGill, B. L. Guerra, Horace Etchison, H. W. Rowe, Fred N. Gantner, Mrs. E. D. Mathis and Fidencio Guerra.

Republicans of North McAllen selected John Lomax, A. G. Fletcher, Chrest Thompson and Robert N. Clarke.

From the South McAllen box, H. H. Fletcher, Ed Smith, W. L. Hart and C. A. Marshall were named.

The Republican county convention also will be held at Edinburg Tuesday.

SAVE MONEY!
Buy Meats of Quality
at Reasonable Prices
at
Ayala Meat Market
(Inside the Market)
BROWNSVILLE

GERMANY'S BOMBERS ARE GOOD BUT

Nazis Far Behind U. S. Bombers In Accuracy

Bombsights Of U. S. Planes Best In World

WASHINGTON —(AP)—The bombers of Europe's warring nations, photographic evidence indicated Saturday, have failed by a wide margin to approach the accuracy of the United States army air corps.

Pictures Delayed

Major General H. H. Arnold, air corps chief, exhibited comparative pictures at a closed session of a senate appropriations subcommittee whose members said they appeared to show a definite edge in marksmanship for American pilots.

The photographic evidence, committee members asserted, gave the army a much higher accuracy rating in "precision" bombing—or aimed hits—than European aviators have attained by "pattern" bombing—or sowing bombs over the immediate area of a target on the theory that one may hit the objective.

The apparent American margin of superiority was generally credited to the country's closely-guarded secret bomb sight.

Planes Also Faster

General Arnold, it was reported, also told the committee that American military planes had proved speedier under actual combat conditions, where more maneuverable, safer and more economical of fuel. With the improvements the war has suggested, he expects them to be the best in the world, it was declared.

The senate committee, however, was reported to have prodded the army to seek full restoration of the $20,000,000 for aircraft which the house cut from the $785,000,000 war department bill when it approved that measure.

Chairman Thomas (D-Okla.) said plans for construction of 27 new bombing planes costing about $10,000,000 probably would be laid before the committee Monday as a result of members' inquiries as to why the army had not sought the full amount of appropriations recommended by President Roosevelt in his budg last Janu y.



American airplanes are better than these pictured above, officials were told Saturday. Top is the German Dornier Do. 17 bomber which has a maximum speed of about 310 m. p. h. and a range of 1,500 miles. It has a span of 59 feet, length of 52 feet 2 inches. Below is the Reich's seaplane fighter, about which few details are available. It is a Heinkel type He. 114, a reconnaisance craft for catupult operation from surface ships.

OBITUARY

MRS. H. H. PECK

McALLEN—Funeral services for Mrs. H. H. Peck, 56, who died at her home Friday night, were held at 4 p. m. Saturday.

Mrs. Peck, a native of Indiana, came to the Valley six years ago to make her home. Services were held at the Martin-Nelson chapel with Rev. F. H. Hamner, pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiating.

She is survived by her husband; five sons, Edward and William of Waukegan, Ill.; Alfred, Calvin and Richard, all of McAllen; nine daughters, Mesdames Ruth Sterberz, Lulu McMuliin and Alice Cowels, all of Zion, Ill.; Edna Cerell of Sheboygan, Wis.; Emma Pearl Owens, Kingmore, Ariz.; Myra Snider, Niles Center, Ill.; Laura Ison, Waukegan, Ill.; Naomi Dorsey, Los Angeles, Calif.; and Bertha Howell, McAllen.

Active pallbearers were W. P. Davis, N. Ness, J. C. Robinson, J. F. Parker, J. F. Robinson.

A. W. McMICHAEL

McALLEN—Last rites for A. W. McMichael, 76, who died at City Hospital Saturday morning, will be held at Martin-Nelson chapel at 3 p.m. Sunday with Rev. Archie Reed, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church at Weslaco, officiating.

Mr. McMichael, who came to the Valley in 1935, was a retired veteran of the Standard Oil company, for which he had worked for 30 years. He was a native of Nova Scotia and a member of the St. Anthony chapter of the Odd Fellows Lodge at Minneapolis, Minn.

Surviving are two brothers, A. J. of McAllen, and Samuel G. of Nova Scotia.

Interment will be in Rose Lawn Cemetery.

Active pallbearers will be Frank Linser, Fred Hendry, J. W. Sloan, G. J. Lichtner, John Leonard and Wancy Earthlow.

HENRY H. HOLLAND

Holland, Henry H., 24, Harlingen, died at San Angelo, Tex., May 2. Funeral services will be held Sunday at 3 p.m. at the John T. Thompson Chapel, Harlingen, with Rev. Steve D. Williams, Kingsville, officiating. Burial will be at Combes Cemetery, under direction of John T. Thompson, Harlingen. Pallbearers will be A. C. Sparks, A. J. Daniels, Roy Wyrick, Erwin Bradford, C. V. Wade, an Mr. Spencer. Surviving are his mother, Mrs. A. T. Holland, Harlingen; five sisters, Mrs. Ruby Reeves, Belcherville, Tex., Mrs. Willie Huddle, Mrs. Cleo Pentecost, Harlingen; Mrs. Grace Keck, Nocona, Tex.; Mrs. Opal Miller, Kokomo, Ind., and two brothers, Andrew and Foster Holland, Harlingen.

World Not Ready For Peace, Believes Map Artist Who Says Wouldn't Stop War Even If He Could; He's Not Afraid

WASHINGTON —(AP)— A geographer who helped draw the European boundary lines which Hitler's legions have been erasing declared Friday night that, even if he had the power, he would not halt the war Saturday.

"I am not so much afraid of war, even in its present unfortunate status, as I am afraid of peace," Dr. Isaiah Bowman, president of the Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore, told the American Council on Education.

"We aren't ready for peace," said Dr. Bowman, who was chief territorial specialist for the 1918 United States peace commission. "We haven't thought out our approach to it. We haven't decided what we want."

MUSIC WEEK IS OBSERVED

San Benito Planning Full Program

SAN BENITO — Final arrangements are complete for San Benito's gala Music Week celebration being sponsored by the San Benito Music Club.

The first program will be held in the city park with "community singing" at 4 o'clock. The program will be directed by W. E. Hatchett with songs rendered by the combined choirs of all churches of the city. Numbers will be accompanied on the Hammond Electric Organ by Robt. K. Reed.

Week day programs will be held in First Methodist Church. Monday night's program will be in charge of the Music Clubs directed by Mrs. H. V. Gordon, who will give a program of American Indian music by Thurlow Lieurance, after which the club will be hostess to all guests in an "open house" party in the parlor of the Church.

Tuesday's program will be in charge of the San Benito men's double quartet directed by Mrs. J. D. Ward. The club will render a group of familiar and classical songs accompanied by Mrs. F. W. Colmery. Mrs. Ward will render two groups of favorite solos.

Wednesday's program will be supplied by the San Benito high school band, directed by J. C. Hall. Program is scheduled to start at 8:30 p.m., an hour later than all other programs.

Thursday's program is expected to draw one of the largest crowds during the observance. The high school chorus under the direction of Mr. Hatchett, will present an interesting program. Those who will take part are the A Cappella Choir, Girls Glee Club, Boys chorus, junior high mixed chorus, solo by Tol Boswell, senior high mixed chorus.

Midland Well Report Service Leader Dies

MIDLAND—(AP)—William Preston Dickson, 41, partner in an oil well report service, died here Saturday. He formerly was employed by the railroad commission. The body was sent to Waco for funeral services Sunday.

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Historical Society Gets Battle Report

DALLAS—(AP)—The only known manuscript of General Sam Houston's report on the battle of San Jacinto will be given to the Dallas Historical Society by the Dallas Morning News Sunday.

The document, discovered four years ago in the archives of the News, is one of the rarest and most valuable that four centuries of Texas history have produced.

West Texas Oil Show To Be Held In June

ODESSA—(AP)—The steering committee of the Permian Basin Association announced Saturday the first West Texas oil show would be held here June 21-22 during the organization's convention.

M. L. Atkison, superintendent of Phillips Petroleum Co., was named chairman.

Hotel Group Due

Monterrey Tourists Expected Tuesday

HARLINGEN—Hotel owners and managers of Northern Mexico and their wives will visit the Valley Tuesday, according to Jose F. Muguerza, president of Hotel Colonial in Monterrey and president of the Hotel Association of Northern Mexico. The visit will be a post-convention trip of association members meeting in Monterrey.

The group, expected to number about 30, will drive in automobiles from Monterrey to Reynosa, and be met at Hidalgo by members of the Rio Grande Valley Hotel Association and Valley chamber of commerce representatives. They will be entertained at Casa de Palmas Hotel in McAllen, and spend the night in Harlingen after a motor trip over the Valley.

The following day, the group will go to San Antonio, returning to Monterrey on Thursday.

Housing For Insane Is Urged By Judge

HOUSTON— (AP) —County Judge Roy Hofheinz urged that the attention of Texas legislators be called to the inadequate housing facilities of state insane and feeble minded institutions in a speech here Saturday at the convention of the Texas Humane Federation.

The situation is so bad in some West Texas counties, the insane are chained in barns because there is no place in state hospitals for them, he said.

"I urge that you speak to your governor and to your legislature about these forgotten persons," he said.

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M'CORMICK TO RUN FOR POST?

Valley Men Eyes Spot On Rail Board

HARLINGEN—Although he has been asked by friends to make the race for Texas Railroad Commissioner, C. E. McCormcik, director of the bonding and licensing division of the state department of agriculture, said Saturday that he would first resign if he should decide to be a candidate and make an announcement.

He issued the following statement:

"In answer to the question as to whether or not I will be a candidate for railroad commissioner in the Democratic primaries in July, I would say that I have not made any public announcement and in fact have no definite intention at the present time to announce for the office although I have been receiving numerous requests from friends in various parts of the state encouraging me to make the race.

"I would not care to make anything in the nature of a political statement while I occupy my present position with the department of agriculture, but if I feel that there is sufficient demand for me to make the race for railroad commissioner, I would, at the proper time, first resign from my position with the department of agriculture and then make a public statement of my views and my intention with reference to making this race."

Fort Worth Protest Set In Rail Office Move To Colorado

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Vigorous objections to the proposed leasing of the Fort Worth and Denver City Railway by the Colorado and Southern will be voiced in Washington Wednesday when oral arguments are heard by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Ed P. Byars, traffic manager of the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce, freight bureau, will leave Sunday for the hearing, prepared to show that public interest will be injured if the ICC permits removal of the Fort Worth offices to Denver and abandonment of the shops at Childress.

J. D. Parker To Run For Texas Governor

AUSTIN—(AP)—J. D. Parker, Caldwell barber, said Saturday that he had definitely decided to run for governor.

He sent the following telegram to capitol newsmen:

"I am happy to announce that I am definitely in the governor's race. Platform will follow."

May Queen Crowned

COMMERCE — (AP) — Miss Marguerite Cato of Talco was crowned queen of the annual East Texas State Teachers College May fete Saturday.

OFFERS REWARD



Samuel Harden Church (above) has offered a reward of $1,000,000 in cash for delivery of Adolf Hitler "alive, unwounded and unhurt" into the custody of the League of Nations. Church is president of Carnegie Institute. (Associated Press Photo from Bachrach)

A successful man forms a plan and sticks to it, working like a gimlet to a point.

TRUCK CRASH KILLS 1; 6 HURT

Wreck Occurs Near Matamoros

MATAMOROS — Jose Palomino, resident of the Timones agrarian colony near here, died Friday night in Matamoros Civil Hospital from injuries received in a truck wreck on the Matamoros-Reynosa highway Thursday night. Funeral services were to be Saturday.

Jose Guadalupe Pena is in serious condition at the hospital. Others confined to the hospital are Alfonso Pena, Natividad Pena, Ceferino Palomino, Catarino Guerra and Ignacio Zavala.

Special investigator Joe Castro said an eighth occupant of the truck was Valente Castillo, Matomoros, owner and driver. The accident occurred about nine miles west of Matamoros.

Segrist Runs Again

DALLAS—(AP)—State Representative Kal Segrist, former Dallas baseball star, announced his candidacy for re-election Saturday.

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'CINCO' FETE OBSERVED BY BORDER FOLK

Big Program Marks Mexican Holiday

BROWNSVILLE—Ball games, including one between a Brownsville and Harlingen team, parades, speeches, carnivals, a horse-show, a kermesse, gymnastic exercises, and patriotic ceremonies, will mark the annual observance of Cinco de Mayo in Brownsville and Matamoros on Sunday.

Mexican communities of San Benito and Harlingen will join the festivities in Brownsville, which will be climaxed by ceremonies beginning at 8 p. m. at the grounds of the Port Isabel railway station, Twelfth and Van Buren.

Cinco de Mayo is one of the most important of Mexican patriotic holidays, commemorating the battle on May 5, 1862, at Puebla, when Mexican troops, under leadership of General Ignacio Zaragoza, defeated the French invaders who sought to maintain imperial domain in Mexico.

Mexican Consul Carlos A. Calderon of Brownsville will hurl the first ball opening the baseball game between the Brownsville Merchants and the Harlingen Eagles, semi-professional teams directed by former big-leaguers.

Matamoros' observance will start with a military and civil parade at 9 a. m., followed by school team volleyball games and gymnastic exhibitions, a horse-show featuring obstacle jumps and trick riding by Mexican army cavalrymen, and ceremonies at 4:30 p. m. on the main plaza featuring patriotic speeches, declamations, and songs.

Cinco de Mayo is a major national holiday in Mexico, and is observed throughout the world by Mexican patriotic and fraternal organizations.

Drys Launch New National Drive; To Hold Parley

CHICAGO—(AP)—The prohibition national committee announced Saturday it was rallying its largest convention in 25 years to adopt a platform and nominate candidates for the presidential campaign.

Delegates from more than 30 states will open the session here next Wednesday. Early arrivals expressed a conviction that changing public sentiment would give the party a substantially stronger endorsement than the 37,847 votes received in 1936.

Six Are Fined In Justice Courts

EDINBURG—Six persons were assessed fines in justice courts of Hidalgo county the past week in which Assistant District Attorney Hollis Rankin prosecuted for the state.

B. Rendon was fined $25 and costs for disturbing the peace by Justice T. Holt Spilman at Mission Wednesday. On the same day, Pedro Natal was fined $1 and costs for using abusive language. He was tried before Justice Bob Savage of San Juan. At Mercedes Friday, Pedro Rodriguez and Santos Sandoval were fined $25 and costs each by Justice T. J. Fikes, Sr., on charges of assault and battery. Esteban Cantu was fined $1 and costs for using abusive language and Bill Boetteger $5 and costs for assault and battery in cases tried Friday before Justice R. E. Erwin of Weslaco.

Soldiers Bail Out In Plane Accident

GEORGETOWN, Miss. — (AP) — Fourteen enlisted men from the army air base at Selfridge Field, Mich., bailed out of a huge transport plane carrying them southward to the third army maneuvers Saturday when the ship's undercarriage was knocked off in an attempted landing.

The men with the pilot and co-pilot had attempted a landing at the airport in McComb, Miss., but the ship overshot the field and wrecked the gear against an embankment. It was brought safely to a pancake landing after the soldiers had taken to their parachutes over Georgetown.

Dupont Plant Scene Of New Explosion

PENNS GROVE, N. J.—(AP)—Two tons of rifle powder exploded at 3:45 a. m. (CST) Saturday in a building of the E. I. DuPont De Nemours Company at nearby Carney's point.

The blast shook this south Jersey area for miles but caused no serious injuries or property damage. Two workmen in another building 150 feet distant suffered from shock and were treated at a hospital. They are J. L. Roberts and H. L. Curtis, both of Penns Grove.

Pampa Grain Dealer To Run For Congress

AMARILLO—(AP)—Lee McConnell, Pampa grain dealer and oil operator, announced Saturday as a candidate for congress in the 18th Texas district to succeed Marvin Jones, who recently was appointed to the U. S. court of claims. McConnell was the ninth candidate to announce.

Spain Woos U. S.

MADRID — (AP) — The European war has caused Spain to look westward instead of northward for commerce, and as a result improved relations with the United States are believed here to be in prospect.

Fewer birds than usual wintered this year in the Lower Rio Grande Valley. Drought and cold weather are believed to have driven the birds farther south.

THE SUNDAY RADIO LOG

WLW (Cincinnati) MBS dial 1360 | WOAI (San Antonio) NBC dial 1190
KRGV (Weslaco) NBC dial 1260 | KWKH (Shreveport) CBS dial 1100
KPRC (Houston) NBC dial 920 | KTSA (San Antonio) CBS dial 550

7:00 a. m.
KRGV—Coast to Coast on Bus
KWKH—Morning Varieties
WLW—Children's Hour
7:30 a. m.
KRGV—Coast to Coast on Bus
KPRC—Skypilot
KTSA—Wings Over Jordan
WOAI—Sunday Drivers
KWKH—Wings Over Jordan
WLW—Children's Hour
8:00 a. m.
KRGV—Valley Radio Chapel
KPRC—Bright and Early Choir
KTSA—Church of The Air
WOAI—Bright and Early
KWKH—C. L. Embree, talk
WLW—Church Forum
8:30 a. m.
KRGV—Southernaires
KPRC—Robert Stewart
KTSA—Christian Science
WOAI—Bill Johnson—baritone
KWKH—March of Games
WLW—Robt. Stewart orch
9:00 a. m.
KRGV—Chuck Wagon Gang
KPRC—Pleasantdale Folks
KTSA—Chuck Wagon Gang
WOAI—Strings That Sing
KWKH—Sunday Players
WLW—News Review
9:30 a. m.
KRGV—Real Estate Hour
KPRC—T. J Bettes Company
KTSA—Major Bowes
WOAI—Music and Youth
KWKH—Major Bowes
WLW—Happy Jim Parsons
10:00 a. m.
KRGV—Latin American Hour
KTSA—Major Bowes
WOAI—News
KWKH—Major Bowes
WLW—Radio City Music Hall
10:30 a. m.
KRGV—Latin American Hour
KTSA—Salt Lake City Choir
WOAI—On Your Job
KWKH—Salt Lake City Tabernacle Choir
WLW—Radio City Music Hall
11:00 a. m.
KRGV—Pilgrimage of Poetry
KTSA—Church of the Air
WOAI—First Presbyterian Church
KWKH—Morning Services
WLW—Cadle Tabernacle Choir
11:30 a. m.
KRGV—Al and Lee Resler orch
KTSA—Travis Park Services
WOAI—First Presbyterian Church
KWKH—Morning Services
WLW—From Hollywood
12:00 noon
KRGV—Winterset
KTSA—Salute to Americas
WOAI—Salute to Americas
KWKH—Salute to Americas
WLW—Your Easy Chair
12:30 p. m.
KRGV—Winterset
KPRC—Song Service
KTSA—Barron Elliott orch
WOAI—University Chicago Round Table
KWKH—Barron Elliott orch
WLW—Peters—Organ
1:00 p. m.
KRGV—News and Weather
KPRC—Fogle-West Ensemble
KTSA—N. Y. Philharmonic Symphony
WOAI—I Want A Divorce
KWKH—N. Y. Philharmonic Symphony
WLW—Your Easy Chair
1:30 p. m.
KRGV—Dance Music
KPRC—Christian Science
KTSA—N. Y. Philharmonic Symphony
WOAI—European News
KWKH—N. Y. Philharmonic Symphony
WLW—Ohio U. Glee Club
2:00 p.m.
KRGV—National Vespers
KPRC—Sunday Players
KTSA—N. Y. Philharmonic Symphony
WOAI—Glen Gray orch
KWKH—N. Y. Philharmonic Symphony
WLW—Unsolved Mysteries
2:30 p. m.
KRGV—Chamber Music Society
KPRC—The World Is Yours
KTSA—Pursuit of Happiness
WOAI—The World Is Yours
KWKH—Houston vs Shreveport
WLW—Aldrich Family
3:00 p. m.
KRGV—Christian Science
KPRC—Yvette
KWKH—Houston vs. Shreveport
WOAI—Old Fashioned Revival
KWKH—Choose Up Sides
WLW—Musical Steelmakers
3:30 p. m.
KRGV—Voice of Hawaii
KPRC—From Hollywood
KTSA—Sweet Rhythm
WOAI—Old Fashioned Revival
KWKH—Houston vs Shreveport
WLW—World Is Yours
4:00 p. m.
KRGV—Gordon Gray orch
KPRC—Catholic Hour
KTSA—Silver Theatre
WOAI—Catholic Hour
KWKH—Houston vs. Shreveport
WLW—Church By Road
4:30 p. m.
KRGV—Cavalcade of Hits
KPRC—Melody Memory Moments
KTSA—Gene Autrey
WOAI—Band Festival
KWKH—Gene Autry
WLW—Ted Weems orch
5:00 p. m.
KRGV—Birthday Party
KPRC—Jack Benny
KTSA—News of World
WOAI—Jack Benny
KWKH—News of World
WLW—Jack Benny
5:30 p. m.
KRGV—Serenaders
KPRC—Bandwagon
KTSA—Ellery Queen
WOAI—Band Wagon
KWKH—Ellery Queen
WLW—Professor Quiz
6:00 p. m.
KRGV—Musical Comedy Revue
KPRC—Charlie McCarthy
KTSA—So You Know Music?
WOAI—Charley McCarthy
KWKH—Concert in Rhythm
WLW—Charley McCarthy
6:30 p. m.
KRGV—NBC Program
Ty Cobb 6:45
KPRC—One Man's Family
KTSA—Columbia Presents
WOAI—One Man's Family
KWKH—CBS Program
WLW—One Man's Family
7:00 p. m.
KRGV—Music for Reading
KPRC—Walter Winchell
KTSA—Sunday Evening Hour
WOAI—Walter Winchell
KWKH—Sunday Evening Hour
WLW—Walter Winchell
7:30 p. m.
KRGV—News, Weather
KPRC—Album Familiar Music
KTSA—Sunday Evening Hour
WOAI—Album of Music
KWKH—Sunday Evening Hour
WLW—Irene Rich
8:00 p. m.
KRGV—Allan Prescott
KPRC—Hour of Charm
KTSA—Yesterday's Melodies
WOAI—Hour of Charm
KWKH—Take It or Leave It
WLW—Hour of Charm
8:30 p. m.
KRGV—NBC Program
KPRC—Home Town
KTSA—Columbia Presents
WOAI—Richard Himber orch
KWKH—Richard Himber orch
WLW—Amazing America
9:00 p. m.
KRGV—AP News
KPRC—AP News
KTSA—Little Concert
WOAI—Teddy Powell orch
KWKH—Headlines
WLW—NBC Program
9:30 p. m.
KRGV—Jack Benny
KPRC—Francis Craig orch
KTSA—Louis Armstrong orch
WOAI—NBC Program
KWKH—Louis Armstrong orch
WLW—Gardner Benedict orch
10:00 p. m.
KRGV—News, Sports
KPRC—Ben Pollock orch
KTSA—News by Air
WOAI—News
KWKH—Ray Noble orch
WLW—Peter Grant, News
10:30 p. m.
KRGV—Charles Spivak orch
KPRC—Charlie Spivak orch
KTSA—Orrin Tucker orch
WOAI—Charley Spivak orch
KWKH—Orrin Tucker orch
WLW—NBC Program
11:00 p. m.
KRGV—Sign off
KPRC—Clyde McCoy orch
KTSA—Fliner & Earl orch
WOAI—NBC Program
KWKH—Jack Coffee orch
WLW—Castle Farm orch
11:30 p. m.
KPRC—Radio Chapel
KTSA—Ina Ray Hutton orch
WOAI—NBC Program
KWKH—Let's Dance
WLW—Moon River

Ex-Valleyites View Nazi Seizure Of Oslo

BROWNSVILLE—Mrs. Ole O. Hagen, wife of Lieutenant Commander Hagen, who is United States naval attache for all the Scandinavian countries, was to sail for the United States Saturday from Genoa, Italy, according to word received in Brownsville.

Mrs. John Kroeger, daughter of Lieut. Commander and Mrs. Hagen, is a Brownsville resident. Her parents were for a time also. Lieut. Commander Hagen formerly was navigation instructor for Pan American Airways here.

From the information received Friday and Saturday by cable and air mail, it was deemed likely that wives and children of all United States representatives in the embattled countries are to be returned to the United States.

Lieut. Commander and Mrs. Hagen, the letter from Italy related, arrived in Oslo the day the German occupation of the city began, and from their train witnessed the bombing of the airport there.

They stayed in Oslo at the United States legation home of Mrs. J. Borden Harriman, U. S. minister to Oslo.

Lieut. Commander Hagen was in charge of conducting a group of wives and children of United States representatives from Oslo to Stockholm, on a three-day trip handicapped by heavy ice and snow.

Lieut. Commander Hagen it was thought probable Saturday, still is in Stockholm, although Mrs. Hagen had arrived at Genoa and was to sail from there for Manhattan Saturday.

Law On Taxis

Reynosa Driver Fined In McAllen Court

McALLEN—Manuel Tijerina Lopez, Reynosa, Mex., taxi owner, paid a fine of $25 and costs ($34) to Justice of the Peace T. J. Powell Saturday after pleading guilty to violating a state motor carriers law. Charges of operating a taxi between two or more incorporated towns without a motor bus license were filed against Lopez by State Highway Patrolman C. D. Mussey.

Patrolman Mussey said Lopez had carried passengers from one city to another in violation of the law which states that taxi owners may carry passengers between two points provided they do not pass through the incorporated limits of any city or village. Mussey said he has warned both Anglo-American and Latin-American taxi owners, that they must observe this law or be subject to penalties.

Mussey pointed out that several taxi operators have carried passengers from McAllen as far as Falfurrias without equipping themselves with a motor bus license giving them permission to do so.

General Motors Official Visits

McALLEN—Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Secord of Detroit, Mich., arrived here today to spend a few weeks in the Valley while he recovers from an illness which confined him to Mayo clinic at Rochester, Minn., for several weeks. Mr. Secord is an official of General Motors Corporation.

Galveston Gets Meet Of Library Groups

FORT WORTH—(AP)—The Texas Library Association in 1941 will convene in Galveston for the first time in 25 years. Selection of the meeting place was announced here Saturday at the conclusions of the association's 29th annual meeting.

Storm Hits China City

CHUNGKING—(AP)—Several hundred houses in the city's crowded downtown district collapsed Saturday morning at the height of a storm. There was no immediate report on casualties.

Olin Culberson In Opening Address; Seeks Rail Post

HILLSBORO, Tex.—(AP)—Olin Culberson, candidate for the Texas Railroad Commission, "came home" to Hillsboro Saturday to open his campaign and the town declared "Culberson Day."

The former Hill county judge spoke on the courthouse lawn, leveling his guns against "pension baiters" and those who "capitalize on public safety sentiment" to gain votes.

Farmers Take Plane For Inspection Tour

DALLAS—(AP)—Things down on the farm are not like they used to be.

Ten farmers, none of whom have flown before, will take an airplane Sunday to inspect eroded county lands.

The annual trip once was made by horse and buggy, then came the automobile.

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FORD BOOSTS MEN OVER 40

Says They're Capable And 'At Best'

DETROIT —(AP)— Henry Ford doubts that there are "enough brains under 50 (years of age) to supply the management needed in industry."

He said so Saturday in a statement endorsing President Roosevelt's National Employment Week proclamation, particularly the appeal for jobs for men more than 40 years of age. The proclamation fixed the first week in May as "National Employment Week."

"My own opinion is that men do not come to full usefulness until they are 40,", said Ford who will be 77 next July 30 and has no intention of "retiring."

Citizens To Aid In Army's Maneuvers By Spotting Enemy

SHREVEPORT, La.—(AP)—Success of Uncle Sam's defending forces in next week's war games will depend to a large extent on the cooperation of some 9,000 civilian observers who will help spot "enemy" planes.

These civilians, in Mississippi, Alabama, Louisiana, Arkansas and Florida, have arranged to relay observations to army men who will assemble it at a central headquarters where defense plans will be mapped for the regional third army's huge make-believe struggle.

WPA Library Aid Lauded By Texas

FORT WORTH— (AP) —Texas librarians were told in convention here Saturday that some 2,000 persons employed under the statewide works project administration library program are furnishing "invaluable aid" in advancing the cause of widespread education in Texas.

Anti-Sabotage Work In Rumania Pressed

BUCHAREST—(AP)—Rumania Saturday tightened anti-sabotage measures on the Danube River by forbidding all craft from passing at night under the big Cernavoda bridge.

The bridge is the main military route to southern Dobruja Province, which Bulgaria claims.

21 French Killed When Fast Train Crashes Bridge

PARIS—(AP)—Twenty-one persons were killed and 25 others injured Saturday when a local train crashed through a flood-weakened bridge near Vallon in Allier department.

The bridge gave way when the fourth coach of the train was crossing.

French To Release Two Army Classes

PARIS—(AP)—The war ministry announced Saturday that the French classes of 1912 and 1913 will be released from military service under an order effective May 11.

The men are 47 and 48 years old.

Iron Cross Awarded Nazi Air Force Men

BERLIN—(AP)—Adolf Hitler Saturday awarded the Knight's Cross of the Iron Cross to Colonel-General Erhardt Milch, Lieutenant-General Hans Geisler and Major Harlinghausen, for distinguished service in German air operations in Norway.

Valley Pupil Feted

HARLINGEN — Miss Charlene Amidon, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Charles S. Amidon, Harlingen, will be guest at the morning coffee given by the Hockaday junior college advisers at Dallas Saturday, May 11. Miss Amidon is a freshman at the junior college. The breakfast is given in honor of student advisers.

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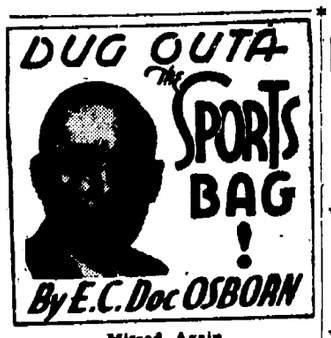
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—Don't Forget Mother May 12th—

GALLAHADION WINS KENTUCKY DERBY



Missed Again

The best we could do was run second.

Of course we are talking about the Kentucky Derby which was won by Gallahadion Saturday.

We were in the saddle on Bimelech, the prohibitive favorite, and perhaps that was the reason the great Bradley colt did not win—carrying too big a load.

And we came darn near not running second. It took a photo to tell us that we did that well for Dit was right there and lost the place apparently by a tongue.

Oh, well, there will be another Derby next year and we will have the winner for here and now we resolve to never again pick the favorite.

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The Same Luck

We were sold on the idea that mackerel fishing would be good Saturday in the gulf so we tried it.

With the net result of nary a fish.

One of these days we are going to have some good fishing weather down this way and some fish will be caught. Of course they will be caught the day before we go but someone will do the job.

Unless there is a decided change in the weather and water conditions, salt water fishing today will not be good. Of course it only takes a few hours for the water to clear up and smooth down.

Joe Taylor hit the nail on the head about fishing. The day before the bass season opened, he came up with this, "I am going fishing tomorrow for I know that some guy can't come along and tell me he caught bass yesterday."

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About Mel Ott

Bill Brandt of the National League Service Bureau, tells the following interesting story on one of baseball's greatest outfielders:

He was just 16 his first year in the National League. Today his name appears 16 times in Baseball's Book of all-time records. At 31, Melvin Thomas Ott has his name inscribed across the annals of the diamond for years and years to come.

His deeds in the Little Red Book of big baseball records are chiefly in the realm of swat, hitting homers and driving runs across the plates. But he also holds the all-time record of making double plays from his outfield position and the newest lifetime record added to his growing list is in the gentle art of extracting bases on balls from unwilling pitchers, facing this sturdy siege-gun of the New York Giants.

When Max Carey, the all-time greatest National League base-stealer, hung up his spiked shoes for good in 1929, he had set a new record of 1040 bases on balls, tops for more than 50 years of National League history. For 10 years the Carey record stood firm in the Red Book but this year it's out. Ott had 1035 when last season opened. His 5th base on balls of 1939 tied Carey's total as a Pittsburgh Pirate star.

By the season's close Ott had chalked up his 100th walk and the National League's all-time record for bases on balls received by one player in one lifetime stood at 1135. From now on, every time Ott receives a base on balls in an official National League game, a new record is registered by the Hall of Fame counting machine.

"Master Melvin" the writers called him in 1925 when he sat on the Giants bench all season without playing a single inning of National League baseball, a dark-eyed, curly-haired, quiet schoolboy from the Louisiana bank of Mississippi. He's been an active Giant player for 14 years. Carey's record covered 19 years. By the time Ott's 19th season is complete, he will have extended the base on balls record way out in front of where it was when he took it over for his personal property.

Facility at drawing passes in Ott's case means not only the eagle eye but also prowess as a slugger. Pitchers are chary about serving the spheroid where he can reach it. When the sturdy Louisianan has that home run glint in his eye at a tight moment in a ball game, a lot of twirlers in the past 14 years have suddenly decided that the right way to pitch to Ott is a base on balls, the classic "weakness" of Honus Wagner.

Every time Ott hits a homer a new National League record is made, too, for his 369 at the close of last year stood as the most homers anybody ever hit in a National League lifetime. No other National Leaguer ever hit 30 or more homers in as many as 7 years.

This year and next Master Melvin will be shooting for the lifetime run-driving record. He was the RBI league-leader with 1,386 at the season's start. The lifetime record is Hornsby's 1,582. All it takes is 100 RBI for Ott this year and next to pass the great "Rodge."

Mel's name is already in the Book for batting in 100 or more runs for 8 successive years and for 9 years all told, neither of which feats was equalled by Hornsby or any other rival. Right nimble in circulating via the hassocks himself, Ott was league run-scoring champ in 1938 and in the Book he is in an all-time tie with Clarence (Ginger) eBuamont, of the old Pirates. Ginger in 1899 and Ott in 1934 scored 6 runs in one game, a feat achieved by no other player in either major league at any time since baseball began.

Besides his all-time lifetime record, Mel has 4 other sitations in the Book's free - ticket department: drawing 5 passes in one game; drawing 100 or more passes in 7 different years; leading his league in walks 5 years and 3 years in succession; and getting hit by pitched balls 3 times in one game.

As proof of the all-round greatness achieved by John McGraw's chubby schoolboy b[illegible]ch-warmer of 1925, Mel is also in the all-time record book on the defensive side. Back in 1929 he figured in a dozen double plays, and never since the National League started back in '76 has any other parent circuit outfielder totalled that many in one season.

Bimelech Is Pushed Hard For Second

Winner Pays Off In Big Figures

By SID FEDER

CHURCHILL DOWNS, LOUISVILLE, Ky.—(AP)—Bimelech and the last long quarter mile broke the Bluegrass Saturday, as Gallahadion, a "bargain counter horse" from the yearling sales, out-gamed seven other gallopers to win the 66th running of the Kentucky Derby.

Second-longest priced winner in the 65 year history of this mile and a quarter classic, Gallahadion not only ran with Bimmie, but actually made him "Holler Uncle" in a roaring stretch drive to come home a length and a half in front.

A shriek of astonishment choked in the throats of the spectators at the failure of "Big Bim," most popular favorite in 35 years.

Col. Matt J. Winn, president of Churchill Downs, estimated the crowd at 95,000, which he said was the largest ever to see a horse race in the United States.

"Paid In Full"

By taking the top portion of the Derby stake, Gallahadion marked "paid in full," the score Mrs. Ethel V. Mars of Chicago, his owner, has held since she bought him for $5,000 at Saratoga two years ago, among a number of youngsters whom she bid in for a total of more than $100,000. None of the other purchases had paid any kind of dividend to compare with this—$60,150 as the winner's share of the richest Derby in history plus the glory that goes with the victor's necklace of roses.

Bimelech was second, but he might as well have been 22nd. He was a beaten horse in the last quarter mile, for this son of Sir Gallahad III did what none had ever done before—run with Bimmie to the wire. And in the defeat lay not only the end of Bimmie's all-triumphant run of eight straight races, but the ashes of 80-year old Col. Edward R. Bradley's dream of breaking his own record with a fifth Derby winner Saturday.

With all due respect to Gallahadion, it was a perfect ride by Jockey Carroll Bierman, the veteran from Centralia, Wash., which told in the end. Bierman broke Gallahadion from the inside position, saved ground with him all the way to the stretch, and then finished just as he started—on the rail.

Bimmie Stale?

As for Bimmie, a 4 to 10 shot, he appeared "stale" from three races in the last nine days. He showed this particularly in the final gruelling quarter, where the true test comes for a three year old this early in the season.

He took the lead momentarily at the head of the straight road home, but just couldn't hold on when Sir Gallahad's big, handsome bay son looked him in the eye.

In fact, at the finish, he barely saved second place, for Arnold Hanger's Dit, another yearling "buy" at $4,000, came on again after being forced wide rounding the stretch turn.

Dit just missed the place spot by a nose. He was in third place by a length over the California "Glamour Boy," Charles S. Howard's Mioland, while the rest of the field of eight—Charles T. Fisher's Sirocco, Joseph E. Widener's Roman, Harold S. Clark's Royal Man, and the mud-running Marylander, William L. Brann's Pictor, trailed in that order.

Although run on a fast racing strip and in warm sunny weather, which had smiled its way in for the Bluegrass classic after a four-day touch of winter in Derbytown, Gallahadion's time of 2:05 was the slowest since Omaha came bouncing home first in 1935, on an off track. Omaha, incidentally, is a cousin of Saturday's winner.

Huge Crowd

No accurate check of the tremendous crowd, which jammed the grandstand and clubhouse, choked the picturesque clubhouse lawn, and packed all the front of the infield grass, was available immediately.

In the press box, the "experts" estimated some 75,000 to 80,000 saw the show. But the "experts" had climbed all the way out on the limb in picking Bimelech to win, virtually unanimously, so that they weren't too sure about this.

The winning warrior, a $72.40 for $2 shot in the mutuels, and $13.80 to place, springs from a long line of as fine a racing stock as you can find. His granddaddy, on the side of his dam, Countess Time, was Reigh Count, who won the Derby back in '28 on a muddy track. His daddy, Sir Gallahad III, sired Gallant Fox, winner of the "Triple Crown" of Derby, Preakness and Belmont, in '30. Omaha, "Triple Crown" winner in '35, was Gallant Fox' son.

Bimelech, who had carried all the important money, returned $3.20 to place, and $2.40 to show. Gallahadion was $4.80 for show, while Dit paid $2.80 for third. The handle on the big race was $465,149, far short of the record.

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Semi-Pro Teams To Open Season In Grand Style

840,000 Players On Diamonds Today

By HAROLD CLAASSEN

WICHITA, Kan.—(AP)—What kind of a gent is Raymond Harry Dumont who took the sand out of sandlot baseball and cemented it into a business "employing" 840,000 men?

Why, he is a shy, little fellow, half-hidden behind a cigar he never smokes and possessed of a mind that manipulated a single idea into a potential million dollars.

He reigns over a domain 10 times as heavily populated as that of Commissioner K. M. Landis from a desk in the store room of a sporting goods house where he will rattle off the batting order of an obscure semi-pro nine in Alabama.

But he is the guy behind the 30,000 basemall games Sunday in honor of the second international "Semi-Pro Day."

Players in the first National tournament of 1935 slept in tents and lived on hamburgers. Participants of the past few years have lived in swank hotels and dined in a royal manner.

Although spectators at the various state, regional and national tournaments are estimated from one to two million, Dumont hasn't benefitted financially himself to any great degree.

Half of the gross receipts of every tournament are returned as prizes and the remainder must finance the National Congress and pay Dumont's modest salary.

The Congress now stretches across the United States in all directions and reaches into Canada, Mexico, Cuba, Puerto Rico and Hawaii. And Sunday some 840,000 players will forget they have been bootblacks or bankers during the week.

All of the games will start at 3 P. M., Central Standard Time. Down in Puerto Rico, Cuba and Mexico they will play under a tropic sun; in Canada the key game at New Waterford, N.S., is slated for a gymnasium as a precaution against the persistent cold.

Notables will toss the first ball at many of the contests.

Their pitches will open a campaign that won't end until 32 regional champions come here in late August to determine the National titleholder and the major winner of a $20,000 prize melon. A junket to Puerto Rico and a "World Series" with the champions of that island also wait the victors.

Umpire Wilson To File Appeal

DALLAS—(AP)—Umpire Bill Wilson of the Texas League Saturday night planned to file an appeal from the 90-day suspension assessed by President W. G. Bramham of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues, and President J. Alvin Gardner of the Texas League promised Wilson his "unqualified support."

Bramham announced his suspension from his office in Durham, N. C., after reviewing reports of a recent game in Fort Worth when Umpire Wilson believed he was menaced by San Antonio players and drew a knife.

President Gardner sharply criticized Bramham's action.

"The Texas League, having investigated the occurrence in its own territory, regrets that the president of the National Association has found it advisable to over-rule the league decision," he said.

"Our disciplinary action closed with a personal reprimand of Mr. Wilson and his frank and open apology to all concerned.

"The umpire, as this office has before stated, took extreme measures in self defense, probably unnecessary measures but nevertheless so effective that no other untoward incident occurred. He is not accused by anyone of having injured anyone or having done anything more than to assure the defense of his own person.

"The Texas League, in view of all of the circumstances of the case considered that it took an adequate disposition, one satisfactory to its officers, directors and club-owners."

In placing the suspension of 90 playing days, President Bramham explained that it was the first time in many years he had acted so in the case of an umpire.

"We must demand no less from the umpires than from the players," he said. "We can not permt unbecomng conduct on the part of either."

CO-CAPTAINS NAMED

MERCEDES — The 1940-1941 Mercedes High School football squad will be headed by captain Stanley Dalton and by co-captain Joe Adams, juniors who were elected by the "M" football club.

One hundred and seventy-two pound Dalton known as "Buckshot" is noted as a smashing full-back. He lettered in football the past three years.

Joe Adams, 197 pounder, distinguished himself as all Valley tackle in 1939. During the past two years he lettered i senior football.

Both Dalton and Adams are classified as high school juniors. They would have been ineligible if the 18-year rule had gone into effect.

Mrs. Goldthwaite Defeats Mrs. Hury For Golf Title

By FELIX R. McKNIGHT

DALLAS, Tex.—(AP)—Mechanical Mrs. Frank Goldthwaite brought the finest surge of her golfing career to a thunderous climax Saturday, regaining the Texas women's title she dropped six years ago with a 4 and 3 triumph over Mrs. Earl R. Hury of San Antonio.

The bronzed West Texan, attractive mother of daughters five and one year old, knifed through tree-bending wind in even women's par for 33 holes to quiet the challenge of a woman who has become known as a perennial runner-up.

Only once in the past month has Mrs. Goldthwaite, twice a member of the United States Curtis Cup team, scored out of the seventies, and that was in the qualifying round of this tournament when she skidded over muddy fairways for 45-38—83.

Putting Helps

Deft touch around the greens, amazing ability to drop five and six foot putts and a refusal to allow any break to upset her game, brought Mrs. Goldthwaite victory over a woman with a magnificent game who seems to always fall just short of the throne room.

A year ago this month Mrs. Hury was runner-up to National Champion Betty Jameson for the state title.

Over on the 500-yard fifteenth hole in the morning round Mrs. Goldthwaite won her golf match Saturday.

Three up at the time, Mrs. Goldthwaite pushed her tee shot deep into rough and ground under repair. She dropped into deep clover, punched her brassie second into more clover on the slope of a knoll. From there she blasted out nicely, still 150 yards from the green.

But her fourth was a championship shot, a low wind cheater that settled four feet from the hole. Meanwhile, Mrs. Hury had walloped two fine wood shots straight down the middle. She pulled her third into a trap, almost burying the ball. She blasted out, took two putts for a six. Mrs. Goldthwaite dropped her putt for an incredible five.

It was the difference of two holes to Mrs. Hury—not a win, to melt Mrs. Goldthwaite's lead, but a loss.

Mrs. Hury Rallies

Gamely Mrs. Hury rallied at the eighteenth, playing down the 390-yard hole beautifully with a 240-yard tee shot an an iron second that nestled three feet from the pin for a birdie three that cut Mrs. Goldthwaite's margin to three holes as they ended the morning round.

Over the third nine holes they scrapped on even terms in a growing wind, Mrs. Hury making magnificent recoveries from sand traps on four holes to hang on. On the twenty sixth her putt for a birdie two hung, by blades of grass, on the lip.

Mrs. Goldthwaite made it four up on the thirtieth with an amazing shot out of a sand trap that settled three feet from the cup for a winning par. She made it dormie five at the thirty first by chipping dead to the hole for a birdie three.

But Mrs. Hury wasn't through.

On the thirty second hole she hooked her tee shot into a trap 100 yards from the green. Cooly, she lofted a shot out of the sand to within 10 feet of the hole. She canned it for a birdie as Mrs. Goldthwaite parred.

On the thirty third Mrs. Hury still had a chance to keep the match alive, needing to get down from the edge of the green in two to win the hole, but she three-putted from 25 feet and the match was over.

TO FINAL ROUND



Katherine Jean of Donna (above) went to the finals in the Interscholastic League tennis tournament but was defeated by Ethel Norton of Thomas Jefferson, San Antonio. Miss Jean lost to Miss Norton in last year's finals also.

Donna Net Star Loses In Final

AUSTIN—(AP)— Walter Driver of Austin high school in El Paso Saturday battled through a blistering five-set match to win the state schoolboy singles tennis championship over John Hickman of Thomas Jefferson in San Antonio.

The score was 6-4, 3-6, 6-3, 3-6, 6-4.

Ethel Norton of Thomas Jefferson in San Antonio won the girls' singles championship 7-5, 6-0, over Katherine Jean of Donna.

The boys' doubles title went to Robert Lovelace and Frank Whaley of Corpus Christi, who defeated Jack Urlick and Billy Hamilton of Thomas Jefferson, San Antonio, 6-2, 6-4, 6-1.

Erleen Wehman and Addie Bell Lucas of Cuero defeated Violet Smith and Hattie Sue Carter of Masonic Home, Fort Worth, 6-3, 6-4, to win the girls' doubles championship.

Earlier Hickman beat Dick Elliot of Trinity, 5-7, 6-4, 6-1, in the semi-finals, while Driver eliminated Wayne Shaw of Athens, 6-2, 6-1.

Lovelace and Whaley gained the finals by a 6-4, 6-2, win over Billy Tabola and Ted Norpoth of John Reagan, Houston, and Uhrlich and Hamilton set down Bill Imke and Winton Jett of Follett, 6-2, 6-3.

Miss Norton scored a 6-1, 6-2 semi-final victory over Lela White of Fabens. Miss Jean defeated Mary Jane Bullington of Paschal, Fort Worth, 3-6, 6-3, 7-5.

Misses Smith and Carter won 6-4, 6-3, from Fort Davis, represented by Elizabeth Fowlkes and Frances Gribb, in the semi-finals, and Misses Wehman and Lucas downed Dortha Delaney and Lila Jane Miesenhelder of Edgewood, near San Antonio, 3-7, 6-3, 6-2.

FAIRY CHANT WINS

BALTIMORE—(AP)—Fairy Chant, a sweet stepping little chestnut lassie with lots of drive, showed her flicking heels to twelve other three-year old fillies in the 17th running of the $10,000 Added Pimlico Oaks Saturday.

The Foxcatcher Farms' filly, favorite in the large field, thrilled the crowd of 20,000—largest of the spring meeting—by dashing suddenly to the front at the top of the homestretch and winging away to a length and a half victory over Mrs. D. K. Kerr's True Call.

Log Cabin's Discerning was another four [illegible]gth back in third place and a length in front of W. L. Brann's Yarnith.

Mission Forms Softball Loop

MISSION — Formation of three new softball teams in Mission, in addition to the Romanos team which has been organized for several months, was announced last week. Sport fans announced that possibly one or more other teams would be organized within the near future. The four teams now organized makes possible the formation of a city league.

Players on the Hustlers team, sponsored by Joe T. Abrego and Hubert Lee Smith, are Mervin Vollmer, Ray Roberts, Burl Roberts, Bernard Weisman, Ralph Findley, Bill Fine, Hubert L. Smith, John Wycoff, W. E. Wood, Otis Foy, Donald Gentry, Donald Tripson, Bjarne Bremer, Harry Garrie, Calvin Quick, Walter Wallace, and Quintin Townsend.

Organized this week was the Complete Oilers team, sponsored by the Complete Oil Well Service Company, with J. O. Parker as promoter and manager. Players are A. Webster, Lewis Stanford, Wright, Charlie Childs, McAlpin, Ply, Branch, Shella, Monroe Hetrick, James, Lee, Wayne Pullin, Leonard, Stein, Walters, Taylor and Ruble.

The Hustlers and the Complete Oilers will meet for the first time in a game carded for Monday night at Legion Ball Park, to begin at 8:15 o'clock.

A third new team is being organized under the sponsorship of the American Legion post. Bill Wagner is manager for the team which will be formed of high school boys. Signed up for the team are Alex Humphries, Dean Welch, Bob Turner, Sam Jackson, Joe Seitz, George Mehis, Harold Ewald, and Kenneth Ward.

First game of the new team will be with the Hustlers, set for Wednesday night at 8:15 at the Legion park.

NET ENTRIES OPENED

HOUSTON —(AP)— Entries were opened at Golfcrest Country Club here Saturday for the annual Texas State Tennis Championship tournament which will be held at the club, June 3-9.

Longhorns Race Over Christians In Wild Battle

Score Eleven Runs In One Frame

FORT WORTH —(AP)— Making most of their runs in the first, second and ninth innings, the University of Texas baseballers slammed out a 21-3 triumph over the TCU Horned Frogs here Saturday in a Southwest Conference game.

Leader of the Steers' 18 hit assault on three TCU pitchers was Captain Clarence Pfeil, who got five singles in six trips.

The box score:

TEXAS	AB	R	H	O	A
Haas, rf	6	1	2	2	0
Stone, 2b	5	4	2	1	4
Pfeil, cf	6	3	5	2	0
Hill, 1b	5	4	1	10	0
Moers, 3b	5	5	3	3	1
Layden, lf	7	1	1	2	0
Croucher, ss	5	1	3	0	4
Everett, c	5	1	0	7	0
Still, p	4	1	1	0	2
Totals	48	21	18	27	11

TCU	AB	R	H	O	A
Cowart, ss	2	1	1	3	2
R. Tankersley, e	4	1	2	5	0
Bilderback, 2b	4	0	0	3	1
Looney, cf	3	0	1	3	0
Sorrells, 3b	3	1	0	2	2
Brumbaugh, lf	3	0	0	2	0
Allen, 1b	3	0	1	8	1
Crawford, rf	4	0	0	0	0
Horner, p	1	0	0	1	1
x Sparks	1	0	0	0	0
Hoover, ss	2	0	1	0	2
Thompson, p	1	0	0	0	1
Abney, p	0	0	0	0	0
D. Tankersley xx	1	0	1	0	0
Alexander xxx	1	0	0	0	0
Vandervolk y	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	37	3	7	27	10

x—Batted for Horner in 5th.

xx—Batted for Cowart in 5th.

xxx—Batted for Brumbaugh in 9th.

y—Batted for Allen in 9th.

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Errors—Cowart 2, Hoover, Tankersley. Home run—Stone. Three base hit—Tankersley. Two base hits—Cowart, Looney, Allen. Hill. Runs batted in — Stone 3, Croucher 5, Tankersley, Allen, Moers 3, Layden 2, Haas, Pfeil 2. Left on bases—Texas 11, TUC 9. Losing pitcher—Horner. Winning pitcher—Still. Base on balls—Horner 4, Still 1, Thompson 8, Abney 4. Struck out—Horner 1, Still 8, Thompson 2. Wild pitch—Horner 2, Thompson 1. Passed ball—Everett. Double plays—Horner to Tankersley to Allen. Stolen bases—Pfeil, Hill, Layden. Hit by pitcher—Croucher by Thompson. Time—2:40. Umpires—Milton and Curtis.

Aggies Defeat Mustangs 4-2

COLLEGE STATION —(AP)— The Texas Aggies beat Southern Methodist, 4 to 2, here Saturday.

The Aggies scored two runs in the fifth on a double and two singles and two more in the seventh on two hits, two walks and an error.

The box score:

AGGIES	AB	R	H	O	A
Ballow, ss	3	0	0	1	1
Stone, 3b	5	0	1	0	3
Alsobrook, cf	5	1	2	1	0
Scoggin, lf	3	0	0	0	0
Cooper, lf	2	1	1	0	0
Doran, c	4	2	2	14	4
Kirkpatrick, rf	3	0	1	2	0
J. Lindsey, 2b	2	0	1	3	0
Pugh, 1b	1	0	0	1	0
Henderson, 1b	2	0	0	5	0
Bass, p	0	0	0	0	0
Bumpers p	2	0	1	0	1
Totals	32	4	9	27	9

S.M.U.	AB	R	H	O	A
Kilmer, ss	2	1	1	2	0
Davis, 2b	2	1	0	1	2
Keith, 1b	4	0	1	6	0
Bianchi, lf	3	0	1	1	0
Ramsey, rf	3	0	0	0	0
Pace, cf	4	0	1	3	0
Atchison, p	3	0	0	0	6
Clement, 3b	3	0	0	0	0
Bledsoe, a	1	0	0	0	0
Aulenbach, c	2	0	0	11	0
Tessman b	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	28	2	4	24	8

a—Batted for Clement in 9th.

b—Batted for Aulenbach in 9th.

S.M.U. .....200 000 000—2

Aggies .....000 020 20x—4

Errors — Henderson, J. Lindsey, Pace, Davis. Runs — Alsobrook Cooper, Doran 2, Kilmer, Davis. Runs batted in—Doran, Kirkpatrick, J. Kirkpatrick, J. Lindsey. Two base hits—Keith, Doran, Cooper. Stolen bases — Alsobrook 2. Sacrifices—Atchison, Henderson, Ballow, J. Lindsey. Left on bases—Aggies 12, S.M.U. 7. Base on balls—off Bass 3, Bumpers 4, Atchison 5. Struck out—by Bumpers 14, Atchison 10. Hits—off Bass no hits, 2 runs, no innings (none out in first) off Bumpers 4 hits, no runs in 9 innings. Winning pitcher—Bumpers. Umpires — Etie and Walsh. Time of game—2:25.

TROJANS 7; PALS 3

TYLER, Tex.—(AP)—Timely hitting and Palestine errors gave Tyler a 7-3 victory over the Pals Saturday night.

John Hyver, Tyler rookie, won his second game in a week, giving up but six scattered hits.

Palestine .....010 002 000—3 6 5

Tyler .....010 040 02x—7 9 0

Rosengarten and Funderburk; Hyver and Deweese.

Fast Field Will Tee Off In Public Links Tourney



Pictured above are a few of the many prizes to be awarded in the Tenth Annual Texas Women's Public Links Golf Association tournament, scheduled in Harlingen, May 12-18. It seems doubtful that any entrant will fail to take home a prize. (Staff Photo.)

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HARLINGEN—With one of the fastest fields in the history of the event, the Tenth Annual Texas Women's Public Links Golf Association tournament, to be held over the Harlingen municipal course May 12-18, bids fair to be one of Texas' outstanding links events of the year.

Mrs. Ann Loveless, president of the state association, predicted Saturday that in addition to a fast field, one of the largest entry lists appeared certain. Rio Grande Valley shotmakers are entering in increasing numbers with 12 names in the book to date, registered from Brownsville, McAllen, San Benito, La Feria and Harlingen. This week will find the Valley contingent sharpening up their game and posting their scores.

Twenty-one players, including defending champion, Mrs. E. H. Wohlfahrt, will represent Houston in the tournament. The Houston players will begin arriving here May 9 in order to get in practice rounds over the title layout.

Mrs. Wolfahrt has won the state public links title three times and was runner-up once. She won in 1935, 1937 and 1939 and was runner-up in 1928.

Other Houston entries are: Mrs. R. L. Lever, Mrs. E. G. Wagner, Mrs. Murray Harris, Mrs. E. G. Phister, Mrs. R. M. Smith, Mrs. Conrad Smith, Mrs. E. K. Wilkins, Mrs. P. C. Born, Mrs. Jack Speer, Mrs. W. D. Parsons, Mrs. C. D. Wilkinson, Mrs. Gus Mancuso, the wife of the veteran major league catcher, Mrs. Earl Stonecipher, Mrs. Jimmy Delmar, Mrs. C. R. Hodges, Mrs. W. M. Hutchings, Mrs. R. C. Standish, Mrs. Fred L. Sharp, Mrs. M. M. Franks and Miss Gertrude Birkman.

Dallas is sending down a large contingent including Miss Virginia Ratledge, Mrs. Jack Hirsch, Mrs. Betty Burgess and Mrs. M. B. Parsons.

Mrs. J. Lee Wilson, twice winner of the muny title, and Mrs. Lee Christopher, of San Antonio, are expected to enter as well as others from the Alamo City.

No information has been received to date from other Texas cities but almost every section of the state is expected to be represented in the tournament, the first women's state event ever to be held in the Vally.

Th local course is being put in top condition by Claud Liston, manager, with the greens and fairways receiving unusual attention. In addition the club house has been renovated.

Plans for entertaining the contestants are virtually complete and a number of interesting social events are on the program.

Texas Golfers Win In Arkansas Meet

LITTLE ROCK, Ark.—(AP)—Two Arkansans and two Texans stroked their way into the semi-final of the Little Rock Country Club's 33rd annual invitation golf tourney here Saturday.

Medalist Jack Munger of Dallas meets Frank Stiedle of Hot Springs Sunday morning, while Harry Todd of Dallas plays Vincent Allison of Fort Smith. The finals will be Sunday afternoon.

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Two Out of Three Falls — One Hour Time Limit

SUPERMAN vs. RAY ECKERT

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DALLAS' HIGHLAND PARK TAKES MEET

Donna Ties For Sixth At Austin

Truman Cox Scores Valley Points

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF

AUSTIN — (AP) — Barrel-chested Ralph Schrimp, to whom the word "quit" is foreign, streaked down the stretch here Saturday with an unbelievable spurt that brought the state school boy track and field championship to Highland Park of Dallas in a meet that saw three records broken.

He was in fourth place, 30 yards behind the leading Port Arthur runner in the mile relay when he took the baton from Tommy Winn. He had finished winning the half mile less than an hour before.

But Schrimf, knowing that it all depended on him—that if Highland Park didn't place in the relay the school would lose the meet—turned on the heat all the way and coming into the home stretch slipped into second place and was gaining on the Port Arthur runner at the finish. He ran it in around 50 seconds.

Ralph Wolf, who upset all predictions to win the 440-yard dash, whirled around the last lap with yards to spare to keep Highland Park in second place and thus capture the 26th annual championship of the Interscholastic League.

Tahoka Second

Highland Park had 13 points. Tahoka, whose one-man team, Max Minor, looked like he might win the meet alone, finished fourth in the broad jump to give his school second place.

Austin of El Paso finished third with 10 points. Reagan (Houston) was fourth with 7 and Elgin was fifth with 6 1-5 points.

It was the best meet held here in years and was the first in which a record was broken since 1936.

Minor was the individual star, setting a new record in the 220-yard low hurdles that tied the National Interscholastic mark, and winning the 220-yard daash, in addition to his fourth place in the broad jump. He was high point man with 11.

Minor's time in the hurdles was 23.5 seconds, three-tenths of a second under the state standard set in 1933 by Jack McGarraugh of Edison High, San Antonio. It tied the National record set by Oliver of Dayton, Ohio, in 1931.

Port Arthur's relay team set a net record of 3:25.2. This bettered the mark of 3:23.6 set in 1932 by Abilene. The members of the winning relay team were Lawrence Thorne, Lovelace Trahan, Warren Devillier and Harold Bartlett. Thorne took a long lead in the first lap and never let down. The others ran just as steadily as he did.

Third Record

The third record set was in the javelin throw. Matthew Batts of San Antonio Tech threw the spear 201 feet, 5 1-2 inches in Friday's preliminaries to better the old record of 196 feet, 8 inches, made by D. C. O'Neill of Yoakum in 1934. He did not surpass the mark Saturday.

Minor's time in 220-yard dash was 21.8 seconds, eight-tenths of a second over the record. In the broad jump he lacked a foot and four inches of equalling first and winning the meet alone.

The real thrillers was Wolfe's victory in the 440-yard dash, an event in which at least four boys had made better time than the Dallas' boy previous to the meet. Wolf, a football player with another year of competition in that sport and track, came from the pack at the last turn. He was fourth there with LeRoy Mattingly and Emerick Labus of Karnes City fighting it out for the lead 10 yards away. Wolf spurted and as he passed Don Frye of Arlington Heights (Fort Worth), who also had forged to the front, he was winning going away.

Wolf's feat gave Highland Park the early lead Coach Floyd Hightower had hoped for.

Jerry Thompson of Woodrow Wilson (Dallas), a star mile runner who had been expected to win this event, had the misfortune of a collision at the first turn with Wilbur Bassett of Amarillo. Bassett went down and stayed there but Thompson got up and ran a gritty race. He faded in the stretch, however, and finished sixth.

Denzil Kennemer of Iraan, another one-man track team, won the 120-yard high hurdles in near record time but finished fourth in the 220-yard dash. Friday, he was disqualified in the 100-yard dash because he jumped the gun twice. This was an event he would have been favored to win had he remained in it.

Brady, the 1939 champion, finished in a tie for sixth place with six points.

Other team point totals: Donna, Iraan 6; Aledo, Brackenridge (San Antonio) Moran, San Jacinto, (Houston), Conroe, Port Arthur, San Antonio Tech, Buckner Home (Dallas) 5; Kingsville, South Park (Beaumont) 4; Arlington Heights (Fort Worth), Sherman, Hico, Wink, Beaumont, Henderson 3; Karnes City, Alexander, West, Wichita Falls, Big Lake 2; Lavernia, Seagraves, South San Antonio 1 1-3; Ysleta, Adamson (Dallas) Angelton, Amarillo, Austin High, El Campo 1

AUSTIN —(AP)— Summaries of the Texas Interscholastic track and field meet Saturday included:

120-yard high hurdles: Won by Kennemer, Iraan; second, Cox, Donna; third, McInnis, Brady, 15 seconds.

100-yard dash—won by White, Austin (ElPaso); second, Odom, Sherman; fourth, Adame, Kingsville, 9.8 seconds.

220-yard low hurdles third Cox, Donna; fourth, Olsen, Ysleta. 23.5 (new record).

Discus throw: Second, Callahan, Wink, 130 feet 9 1-2 inches; fourth, Cox, Donna, 122 feet 11 1-2 inches.

220-yard dash: Won by Minor, Tanoka; second, Adame, Kingsville; Kennemer, Iraan, fourth. Time 21.6.



JUST ANOTHER 'DEAN'—Not all the baseball "Deans" are Dix and Daffy, for here's Arthur Lovill "Chubby" Dean, who's been pitching baseball headlines for the Athletics. A native of Mount Airy, N. C., he used to pitch at Duke.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

A'S 14; TIGERS 5

PHILADELPHIA—(AP)—The Philadelphia Athletics hammered three Detroit pitchers for 17 hits to scuttle the Tigers 14 to 5 in Shibe Park Saturday. Freddie Hutchinson, removed in the third when the A's scored six runs on as many hits, was charged with the loss.

	AB	R	H		AB	R	H
Detroit	4	2	2	Philadel.	5	1	3
Bartell ss	4	2	2	Miles cf	5	2	2
McCosky cf	3	0	2	Moses rf	5	2	2
Averill cf	2	1	2	McCoy 2b	5	2	2
Gehringer 2b	4	0	1	Johnson lf	4	2	2
Greenberg lf	5	0	0	Siebert 1b	5	1	1
Campbell rf	3	1	0	Hayes c	4	3	4
York 1b	4	1	2	Rubeling 3b	5	1	2
Higgins 3b	4	0	1	Lillard ss	3	2	1
Tebbetts c	4	0	0	Babich p	3	0	0
Hutchinson p	1	0	0				
Trout p	1	0	0				
Seats p	2	0	0				
Totals	37	5	10	Totals	39	14	17

Detroit	101	000	021— 5
Philadelphia	016	040	03x—14

Errors: Bartell, Gehringer, McCoy, Lillard. Runs batted in: Gehringer, Greenberg, Hayes 3, Moses, McCoy 3, Rubeling 2, Lillard, Miles, Higgins, Averill. Two base hits: York 2, Moses, Johnson, Miles, McCosky, McCoy. Three base hits: Rubeling. Home run: Hayes, McCoy, Averill. Stolen bases: Johnson, Ruebling. Sacrifices: Babich. Double plays: Rubeling, McCoy and Siebert. Left on bases: Detroit 5; Philadelphia 5. Bases on balls: Hutchinson 1; Trout 1; Babich 3; Seats 1. Struck out: by Hutchinson 2; Trout 3; Babich 4; Seats 1. Hits off: Hutchinson 4 in 2 1-3; Trout 8 in 3 1-3; Seats 5 in 3 1-3. Wild pitch: Trout. Losing pitcher: Hutchinson. Umpires: Ormsby, Rue and Basil. Time: 2:14.

INDIANS 12; SENS 4

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Blasting 13 hits off the offerings of Ken Chase, Bucky Jones and Gilberto Torres, Cleveland registered a 12-4 victory over Washington Saturday. Roy Mack smashed a homer for the Indians in the sixth.

	AB	R	H		AB	R	H
Cleveland	5	3	2	Wash'gton	4	2	2
Boudreau ss	5	3	2	Case cf	4	2	2
Weatherly cf	5	2	2	Lewis rf	5	0	4
Chapman rf	5	2	2	Walker lf	5	0	1
Bell 1b	5	1	2	Bonura 1b	5	0	2
Heath lf	5	1	1	Travis 3b	5	1	1
Keltner 3b	3	1	1	Bloodworth 2b	4	1	1
Hemsley c	5	0	0	Pofahl ss	3	0	0
Mack 2b	4	1	2	Ferrell c	3	0	1
Milnar p	2	1	1	Jacobs p	1	0	0
Eisenstat p	1	0	0	Torres p	0	0	0
				Welaj x	1	0	0
Totals	41	12	13	Totals	38	4	12

x—Batted for Torres in 9th.

Cleveland	003	008	051—12
Washington	100	002	100— 4

Errors: Case, Bloodworth 2, Bonura, Pofahl. Runs batted in: Walker, Chapman 2, Mack 2, Weatherly 2, Bloodworth, Bonura, Bell, Heath, Keltner. Two base hits: Lewis, Bell, Boudreau 2. Three base hits: Chapman, Bloodworth. Home runs: Mack, Stolen bases: Case. Sacrifices: Milnar. Double plays: Travis, Bloodworth and Bonura; Boudreau, Mack and Bell. Left on bases: Cleveland 11; Washington 10. Bases on balls: off Milnar 3; Chase 7; Jacobs 1. Struck out: by Milnar 1; by Chase 4, by Jacobs 1. Hits: off Chase 7 in 5 2-3 innings; off Torres 1 in 1 1-3; off Jacobs 8 in 2; off Milnar 0 in 0 (0 out in 7th); off Eisenstat 3 in 3. Balk: Chase. Winning pitcher: Milnar. Losing pitcher: Chase. Umpires: Geisel, McGowan and Kolls. Time: 2:25.

WHITE SOX 10; YANKS 3

NEW YORK—(AP)—The Chicago White Sox, behind Thornton Lee's nine hit pitching, walloped the New York Yankees, 10-3 Saturday.

The Sox pounded four Yankee pitchers for 15 hits with Joe Kuhel leading the assault with two home runs.

	AB	R	H		AB	R	H
Chicago	4	1	0	New York	4	1	0
Kennedy 3b	4	1	0	Crosetti ss	4	1	0
Kuhel 1b	5	2	2	Rolfe 3b	4	0	2
Kreevich cf	5	2	1	Selkirk lf	4	0	0
Wright rf	5	2	2	Keller rf	3	0	0
Appling ss	4	2	1	Rosar c	4	1	2
Solters lf	5	0	4	Gordon 2b	4	0	0
McNair 2b	5	0	1	Henrich cf	4	0	1
Fresh c	4	0	3	Dahlgren 1b	4	0	2
Lee p	3	1	1	Sundra p	0	0	0
				Hadley p	2	0	0
				Hildebr'd p	0	0	0
				Mills z	1	1	1
				Grissom p	0	0	0
				K'krb'gr zz	1	0	0
Totals	40	10	15	Totals	35	3	9

z—Batted for Hildebrand in 8th.
zz—Batted for Grissom in 9th.

Chicago	400	000	510—10
New York	010	000	020— 3

Errors: Keller, Appling, Rolfe, Hildebrand, Lee. Runs batted in: Kuhel 2, Solters 3, Henrich, Wright 2, Appling, McNair, Rolfe, Selkirk. Two base hits: Solters, Henrich, Lee, Rosar, Rolfe. Home runs: Kuhel 2. Stolen base: Rosar. Sacrifice: Lee. Double plays: Appling, McNair and Kuhel; Crosetti, Gordon and Dahlgren. Left on bases: New York 7; Chicago 9. Bases on balls: off Sundra 1; Hadley 2; Hildebrand 1; off Lee 2; Grissom 1. Struck out: by Lee 3; Hadley 2. Hits: off Sundra 4 in 1-3; Hadley 6 in 5; Hildebrand 3 in 1 2-3; Grissom 2 in 1. Losing pitcher: Sundra. Umpires: Grieve, Moriarty, Hubbard and Rommel. Time: 2:15. Attendance 5,303.

RED SOX 4; BROWNS 1

BOSTON—(AP)—Boston's Red Sox hit lightly but effectively Saturday to give pitcher Denny Galehouse his first victory of the year, a 4-1 triumph which swept a two-game series with the luckless St. Louis Browns.

	AB	R	H		AB	R	H
St. Louis	5	0	0	Boston	4	1	1
Strange ss	5	0	0	Finney rf	4	1	1
Judnich cf	5	0	0	Cramer cf	4	0	0
McQuinn 1b	4	1	3	Williams lf	3	1	2
Radcliff lf	4	0	0	Foxx 1b	3	2	2
Hoag rf	4	0	1	Cronin ss	3	0	0
Cliffs 3b	4	0	1	Doerr 2b	4	0	1
Heffner 2b	4	0	0	Tabor 3b	4	0	0
Swift c	3	0	0	Desautels c	3	0	0
x Laabs	1	0	0	Galehouse p	3	0	0
Susce c	0	0	0				
Harris p	3	0	1				
Niggeling p	0	0	0				
xx Berardino	1	0	0				
Totals	38	1	11	Totals	30	4	8

x—Batted for Swift in 8th.
xx—Batted for Niggeling in 9th.

St. Louis	000	000	010—1
Boston	100	100	02x—4

Errors: Strange, Cliff, Foxx, Doerr. Runs batted in: Hoag, Williams, Doerr, Desautels. Two base hits: McQuinn, Hoag, Doerr. Three base hits: McQuinn, Finney. Sacrifices: Galehouse. Double plays: Tabor, Doerr and Foxx; Doerr, Cronin and Foxx. Left on bases: St. Louis 10, Boston 8. Base on balls: Harris 3, Niggeling 2. Struck out: by Niggeling 1, Galehouse 5. Hits: off Harris 6 in 7 1-3; Niggeling 0 in 1-3. Losing pitcher: Harris. Umpires: Summers and Quinn. Time: 2:10.

Junior College Meet Is Won By Schreiner

ARLINGTON—(AP)—Bill Cummins of El Paso made 27 1-2 points to take individual honors and lead Schreiner Institute's track and field team to victory in the Texas Junior College Athletic Association meet Saturday.

Schreiner totaled 66 points; Paris Junior College was second with 54 and the John Tarleton was third with 53. The North Texas Aggies scored 21 for fourth place.

F. W. Duckworth, Paris, clicked off the mile in 4:34.3 to lower the record of 4:42.3 made by Nelson of N. T. A. C. in 1927. Stamford of San Angelo was second.

Morris of an Angelo placed fourth in high hurdles and second in the 220-yard low hurdles.

Merchants To Meet Eagle Team Today

BROWNSVILLE — The Brownsville Merchants will play the Harlingen Eagles here Sunday afternoon in a game that should be close all the way.

The game is scheduled to start at 3:30 p. m.

BAYLOR FROSH WIN

WACO—(AP)—The Baylor University freshmen beat the Texas A. and M. fish Saturday 10 to 6 with Bob Miller allowing the Cadets but nine hits and driving in three runs.

Aggies	000	050	010— 6 9 7
Baylor	300	502	00x—10 10 3

Rizer, Pareman and Aldridge; Miller and Wilkins.

NATIONAL

CUBS 3; GIANTS 2

CHICAGO—(AP)—A home run by a former teammate, Hank Leiber, that went over the left field wall beat the Giants 3-2 in their first meeting with the Chicago Cubs Saturday.

Leiber's drive came in the sixth inning to break a tie to give Larry French his third victory of the season.

	AB	R	H		AB	R	H
New York	4	0	1	Chicago	3	0	0
Whitehead 2b	4	0	1	Hack 3b	3	0	0
Moore lf	4	1	1	Herman 2b	3	0	0
Demaree cf	4	0	2	Galan cf	4	0	0
Ott rf	2	0	1	Leiber rf	4	1	2
Danning c	4	0	1	Nicholson lf	4	0	0
Young 1b	3	0	0	Cavarretta 1b	2	1	0
Seeds x	1	0	0	Todd c	3	1	2
Jurges ss	4	0	1	Mattick ss	3	0	1
Witek 2b	3	1	1	French p	2	0	1
Hubbell p	2	0	0				
Totals	32	2	8	Totals	29	3	6

x—Batted for Young in 8th.

New York	110	000	000—2
Chicago	010	101	00x—3

Errors: Witek, Mattick. Runs batted in Whitehead, Danning, Leiber, Todd, Mattick. Two base hit: Moore. Home runs: Leiber, Todd. Sacrifice: Hubbell. Double play: Todd and Mattick; Mattick, Herman and Cavarretta. Left on bases: New York 6; Chicago 5. Base on balls: Hubbell 3, French 2. Struck out: by Hubbell 2; French 2. Umpires: Campbell, Klem and Ballanfant. Time: 1:51.

CARDS 3; BEES 1

ST. LOUIS—(AP)—In their thirteenth game, the St. Louis Cardinals had a pitcher go the full route for the first time this season as Fiddler McGee defeated the Boston Bees on four hits Saturday, 3 to 1. McGee drove in one of the Cards' runs and scored another.

	AB	R	H		AB	R	H
Boston	4	0	1	St. Louis	2	1	0
Rowell 2b	4	0	0	Lake 2b	2	1	0
Hassett rf	4	0	0	Gutteridg 3b	3	0	0
West cf	2	0	1	Slaughtr rf	4	0	0
Cuccinello 3b	4	0	0	Medwick lf	4	0	1
Ross lf	4	0	0	Mize 1b	3	0	0
Scarsella 1b	4	0	0	Moore cf	4	0	0
Masi c	3	0	0	Marion ss	2	1	1
Miller ss	3	1	2	Owen c	3	0	1
Sullivan p	3	0	0	McGee p	2	1	1
Totals	31	1	4	Totals	28	3	7

Boston	000	000	010—1
St. Louis	003	000	00x—3

Errors: Sullivan, Marion. Runs batted in: McGee, Slaughter 2, Rowell. Two base hits: Miller 2, Slaughter. Sacrifice: McGee. Double plays: Rowell, Miller and Scarsella; Lake and Mize; Cuccinello, Rowell and Scarsella. Left on bases: Boston 5; St. Louis 6. Bases on balls: off Sullivan 4, off McGee 2. Struck out: by Sullivan 4, by McGee 3. Umpires: Stewart, Magerkurth and Barr. Time: 1:59.

REDS 3; PHILS 2

CINCINNATI—(AP)—A wild pitch by Kirby Higbe, scoring Billy Myers, gave the Cincinnati Reds a 3 to 2 victory over the Philadelphia Phillies in the 11th inning Saturday. Joe Beggs, rookie who relieved Paul Derringer in the 10th, got credit for the win.

	AB	R	H		AB	R	H
Philadelphia	5	0	0	Cincinnati	4	0	0
Schulte 2b	5	0	0	Werber 3b	4	0	0
Martin cf	5	1	1	Frey 2b	4	1	1
Mahan 1b	5	1	2	Goodman rf	4	0	1
Arnovich lf	4	0	1	F M'Cmk 1b	5	0	2
Klein rf	4	0	0	Lombardi c	4	0	1
Warren c	4	0	1	DiMaglo s	4	0	1
Mueller 3b	3	0	0	Myers ss	4	1	0
Ragan ss	4	0	2	Craft cf	2	0	0
Higbe p	4	0	0	M M Cmk lf	3	0	2
				Joost ss	2	0	0
				Herch'gr zz	1	0	1
				Gamble zzz	0	0	0
				Beggs p	0	0	0
				Derringer p	3	0	0
				Baker e	1	0	0
Totals	39	2	6	Totals	34	3	5

None out when winning run scored.
z—Ran for Lombardi in 9th.
zz—Batted for Joost in 9th.
zzz—Ran for Hershberger in 9th.

Philadelphia	000	200	000 00—2
Cincinnati	000	100	001 01—3

Errors: Mahan, Bragan, Higbe. Runs batted in: Mahan, Bragan, F. McCormick, Hershberger. Two base hit: Martin. Stolen bases: Werber, Frey. Sacrifices: Klein, Craft 2, Joost. Double play: Schulte and Bragan and Mahan. Left on bases: Philadelphia 6, Cincinnati 9. Bases on balls: off Higbe 5, off Derringer 2. Hits: off Derringer 4 in 9; off Beggs 2 in 2. Wild pitch: Higbe. Winning pitcher: Beggs. Umpires: Dunn, Jorda and Sears. Time: 2:09.

Metheny To Battle Jones At McAllen

McALLEN — Hank Metheny and Paul Jones will wrestle in the main event bout at the McAllen Sports Arena Tuesday night for two out of three falls with a two-hour time limit.

Superman (whoever he is) will meet Ray Eckert, in the semi-final. Otto Kuss is the referee.

Lions Will Play Corpus Nine Today

MERCEDES—The Mercedes Lions face the strong Corpus Christi Beermen in a double-header Sunday afternoon at Lions Park.

The Lions are certain to have plenty of trouble with the visitors but have strengthened their roster and are favored to win.

The first game will start at 2:30 p. m.

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San Antonio	14	8	.636	½
Tulsa	11	10	.524	3
Oklahoma City	11	11	.500	3½
Fort Worth	11	12	.478	4
Beaumont	9	12	.429	5
Shreveport	8	13	.381	6
Dallas	7	13	.368	6

Results Saturday
Houston 10; Beaumont 2
Fort Worth 19; Dallas 6
Oklahoma City 6; Tulsa 5
San Antonio 7; Shreveport 1.
Games Today
San Antonio at Beaumont (2) (D)
Houston at Shreveport (2) (D)
Dallas at Tulsa (2) (D)
Fort Worth at Oklahoma City (2) (D).

AMERICAN LEAGUE Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Boston	10	4	.714	
Cleveland	9	4	.692	½
Detroit	8	6	.571	2
New York	8	7	.462	3½
Washington	6	8	.429	4
Philadelphia	6	8	.429	4
St. Louis	5	8	.385	4½
Chicago	4	8	.333	5

Results Saturday
Boston 4; St. Louis 1
Cleveland 12; Washington 4
Chicago 10; New York 3
Philadelphia 14; Detroit 5.
Games Today
Detroit at New York
Cleveland at Boston
St. Louis at Washington
Chicago at Philadelphia.

NATIONAL LEAGUE Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Brooklyn	9	1	.900	
Cincinnati	8	3	.727	1½
Chicago	8	7	.533	3½
New York	5	5	.500	4
Pittsburgh	4	6	.400	5
St. Louis	5	8	.385	5½
Philadelphia	3	6	.333	5½
Boston	2	8	.200	7

Results Saturday
Cincinnati 3; Philadelphia 2
St. Louis 3; Boston 1
Chicago 3; New York 2
Brooklyn at Pittsburgh, cold.
Games Today
New York at Cincinnati
Brooklyn at St. Louis
Philadelphia at Chicago
Boston at Pittsburgh.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Minneapolis	9	4	.692	
Kansas City	9	4	.692	
Indianapolis	8	5	.615	1
Louisville	8	7	.533	2
St. Paul	6	7	.462	3
Milwaukee	5	6	.455	3
Toledo	6	7	.417	3½
Columbus	3	11	.214	6½

Results Saturday
Milwaukee 3; Toledo 0
St. Paul 9; Louisville 5
Minneapolis 10; Indianapolis 2
Kansas City 10; Columbus 0.
Games Today
Toledo at Kansas City
Columbus at Milwaukee
Louisville at Minneapolis
Indianapolis at St. Paul.

EVANGELINE LEAGUE
New Iberia 2; Opelousas 7
Houma 4; Lafayette 2
Alexandria 2; Lake Charles 3
Rayne 8; Port Arthur 8.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION
Memphis 6; Atlanta 0
Birmingham 5; Nashville 4
Chattanooga 3; Little Rock 1
Knoxville 5; New Orleans 3.

Today's Pitchers

NEW YORK—(AP)—Probable pitchers in the major leagues Sunday (won-lost records in parentheses):

American League
St. Louis at Washington—Kennedy (0-2) vs Leonard (1-2).
Chicago at Philadelphia—Lyons (1-1) vs Dean (2-0).
Detroit at New York—Newsom (1-1) vs Ruffing (1-2).
Cleveland at Boston—Feller (2-2) vs Dickman (1-2).

National League
Philadelphia at Chicago—Mulcahy (1-1) vs Dean (1-1).
Boston at Pittsburgh—Errickson (0-0) vs Brown (2-0).
New York at Cincinnati—Lohrman (1-0) vs Walters (3-0).
Brooklyn at St. Louis—Wyatt (3-0) or Hamlin (1-0) vs Lanier (1-0) or Bowman (0-1).

Wise County School Wins Class B Track

DENTON—(AP)—Boyd high school of Wise county edged out Everman high of Tarrant and Plains of Yoakum by half a point Saturday to win the state Class B track and field championship.

Carl Walser garnered all of the Plains team's 10 1-2 points. Boyd clinched the title by winning second in the mile relay, closing event of the meet.

Waco State Home was third with 10 1-3 points.

Dalton Campbell of Lipan nosed out Dalton Alexander of Blum to set a new record of 4:43.6 in the featured mile race. The old mark of 4:44.4 was set by Pope of Big Sandy last year.

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TEXAS LEAGUE

BUFFS 10; EXPORTERS 2

BEAUMONT—(AP)—Houston evened up the short series with the Exporters here Saturday winning 10 to 2, largely through a seven run uprising in the eighth inning.

	AB	R	H		AB	R	H
Houston				Beaumont			
Murtaugh 3b	4	1	1	Korte ss	5	0	0
Antonelli 3b	3	1	2	Vincent 2b	3	2	2
Winsett lf	4	0	1	Harris rf	5	0	2
x Vezelich lf	1	0	0	Secory lf	4	0	0
Cullop rf	5	2	2	Franklin 3b	2	0	1
Wyrostek cf	5	2	2	Parsons c	4	0	0
Narron c	4	1	0	Patrick cf	3	0	0
Angle 1b	4	1	1	x Carter cf	1	0	0
Davis ss	3	2	1	Sturdivt 1b	3	0	1
Wissman p	1	0	0	Mueller p	3	0	1
Krist p	3	0	2	Gann p	0	0	0
				Hardy p	0	0	0
				zz Perry	1	0	1
Totals	39	10	12	Totals	34	2	8

x—Batted for Winsett in 8th.
z—Batted for Patrick in 8th.
zz—Batted for Hardy in 9th.

Houston	000	001	270—10
Beaumont	101	000	000— 2

Runs batted in: Murtaugh 2, Antonelli, Wyrostek, Narron, Angle 2, Davis, Krist. Earned runs: Houston 9, Beaumont 1. Bases on balls: off Wissman 3, Krist 2, Mueller 1, Gann 1. Struck out: by Wissman 2, Krist 3, Mueller 6, Hardy 2, Balk: Hardy. Pitchers' statistics: 8 hits 6 runs off Mueller in 7 1-3 innings, 2 hits 3 runs off Gann in 0 innings (none out in 8th) 3 hits 1 run off Hardy in 1 2-3 innings, 4 hits 2 runs off Wissman in 2 innings; none out in 3rd). 4 hits 0 runs off Krist in 7 innings. Winning pitcher: Krist. Losing pitcher: Mueller. Three base hit: Murtaugh, two base hits: Sturdivant. Double play: Murtaugh to Angle, Narron to Angle. Sacrifice hit: Murtaugh. Left on bases: Beaumont 10, Houston 7. Errors: Murtaugh, Angle, Korte, Harris, Parsons. Umpires: Palmer, Smith.

CATS 10; REBELS 0

DALLAS—(AP)—Buster Chatham, Rabbit McDowell, Hank Oana and Walter Cazen clouted home runs here Saturday night as the Fort Worth Cats bombed the Dallas rebels for a 10 to 0 victory.

Charles Baron, young Cat first baseman, suffered a broken leg, in the first inning, when Rabbit Rigby, Dallas infielder, collided with the visiting player as he slid into first trying to make a hit off a grounder.

	AB	R	H		AB	R	H
Fort Worth				Dallas			
Chatham cf	5	3	3	Rigby 2b	4	0	1
McDowell 2b	5	1	3	Adair lf	4	0	1
Cazen rf	5	1	1	Mort 1b	4	0	1
Jeffries 3b-1b	4	0	1	Puccinelli rf	4	0	0
Oana lf	5	2	1	Lee cf	4	0	0
Baron 1b	0	0	0	Clarke 3b	4	0	1
O'Brien 3b	4	0	1	Levey ss	4	0	1
Abreu ss	2	1	1	Weiland c	4	0	1
Linton c	4	1	1	Gliatto p	2	0	0
Nitcholas p	4	1	0				
Totals	39	10	12	Totals	34	0	6

Fort Worth	011	400	112—10
Dallas	000	000	000— 0

Errors: Chatham, Abreu, Lee, Clarke, Levey, Gliatto. Runs batted in: Chatham 3, McDowell 2, Cazen 2, Oana, Linton. Two base hits: Mort, Levey. Three base hit: Chatham. Home runs: Chatham, McDowell, Oana, Cazen. Caught stealing: McDowell, Abreu and Chatham by Weiland. Double plays: Levey to Rigby to Mort 2; Abreu to McDowell to Jeffries. Struck out: by Gliatto 3, Nitcholas 6. Bases on balls: off Gliatto 3. Left on bases: Dallas 8, Fort Worth 4. Earned runs: Fort Worth 7. Time of game:

Tiger Gridders In Annual Tilt

MERCEDES — The annual football game here last Thursday night between the Mercedes Tigers and the high school seniors, composed of ten graduating lettermen, ended in a 6-6 tie. The game climaxed the 30-day spring training season for the Tiger squad.

A 40-yard run by Billie Gene Drawe, last year's captain, gave the seniors their tally in the second period. Dalton, hard plunging captain of the 1940 aggregation, scored for the Tigers during the final period. The game was played under the auspices of the Mercedes "M" Club.

With a nucleus of only five lettermen around which to build his this year's team, Coach Schmalzried is reserving all predictions for the next season until next fall. However, a number of new recruits have developed satisfactorily during the spring practice.

The quintet of lettermen who will be back in the Tiger line-up this fall are: Dalton, fullback and captain; Adame, all-Valley tackle and co-captain; Duane Shelton, guard; Dick Schmalzried, tackle and Billie Seibert, left end.

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Miss Virginia Hamner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hamner of Hempstead, Texas, is pictured above in the wedding dress she will wear for her marriage Sunday at eight o'clock to George William Wehrung III of Houston. The simple marriage rites will be performed in the First Methodist Church with a large number of friends as guests.

Church Rites To Be Read Early Sunday

HARLINGEN—In the First Methodist Church at eight o'clock this morning, marriage lines will be read for Miss Virginia Hamner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hamner of Hempstead, Texas, formerly of Raymondville, and George William Wehrung III of Houston. The Rev. Bolton Boone, pastor, will officiate.

All white blossoms are used in the simple decoration of the church. To make a background for the bridal party large white urns holding tall spikes of white gladiolas have been placed with floor candelabra on either side holding cathedral tapers. Back of the organ is a seven-branched candelabrum with additional white tapers to be lighted just before the ceremony. White candytuft studded in the fern entwining the altar rail completes decoration of the front spaces of the church.

Miss Virginia Perry will be at the organ for the wedding music. She will play "Liebestraum" as a solo and will accompany Miss Ivy Catherine Boone who is to sing "I Love You Truly" and "Sweet Mystery of Life." The traditional "Bridal Chorus" from Wagner's "Lohengrin" will be given for processional and Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" for recessional.

As the couple speak their vows the muted strains of Gounod's "Ave Maria" will make a musical obligato.

The bride is to enter with her brother, Joe Ed Hamner of Hempstead, who will give her in marriage.

Her bridal dress, in traditional white net is quaintly old-fashioned in design. The leg-o'-mutton sleeves are puffed to above the elbow and fitted closely over the lower arm, to end in a point over the wrists. Widest part of the sleeves is inset

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Lady-in-waiting to Miss Louise Hill during San Antonio's colorful Fiesta de San Jacinto was Miss Betty Dean who is pictured above in her court gown, sequin trimmed and a delicate shade of green. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Barnett of Harlingen and a student at Incarnate word Academy in San Antonio.



Wearing the lovely costume in which she was presented as Duchess of the Rio Grande Valley at the Court of the Old South during the Battle of Flowers in San Antonio last weekend, Miss Louise Hill, (presented above, makes a glamorous picture. Her gown was fashoned of heavy gold satin lavishly trimmed with rhinestones and with wide lace outlining the wide panniers posed over hoop skirts and the sweeping train. Miss Hill is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hill of Harlingen.

Engagement of Miss Mary Jane Groom (pictured upper right), only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Groom of Brownsville, to Olin Coleman Jones Jr., of Brownsville and Fort Worth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jones Sr. of Fort Worth, was announced at a pretty tea of which Mrs. Groom was hostess Thursday. The wedding will be celebrated Monday, May 27, at eight o'clock in the Central Christian Church in Brownsville.) (For Story see page two)

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey H. Dunlap of La Feria announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their only daughter, Mary Jo, (in center picture above) to Ernest L. Young of Berkeley, Calif. The ceremony will take place June 6, 1940 in Berkeley. Miss Bailey, a graduate of La Feria high school, received her degree from the University of Texas and also attended the University of California She is a member of Chi Omega sorority. Mr. Young, a graduate of the University of California, is a member of Beta Alpha Psi, an honorary accounting fraternity. The couple will reside in Berkeley.

Miss Mary Jane Groom's Approaching Marriage To O. C. Jones Revealed

BROWNSVILLE — At an especially pretty party featuring a color theme of pink and white, the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Mary Jane Groom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Groom, to Olin Coleman ones, of Fort Worth and Brownsville, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jones, Sr., of Fort Worth, was announced.

Mrs. Groom was hostess at tea at her home between the hours of five and seven o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Guests were greeted at the door by Miss Margaret Weinert, pretty in a frock of crushed azalea pink net, with trim of fuchsia velvet.

Receiving were Mrs. Groom, in black taffeta with dots of golden satin; Miss Groom, in becoming gown of ice blue satin, worn with a jacket of dull silvercloth; Miss Nannie Bourne, in white lace; and Mrs. J. M. George in American Beauty chiffon.

About the home, the color theme of pink and white had been developed prettily through the use of white lilies and pink roses. The flowers were in graceful arrangement about the reception suite, and pink and white, and pink tapers were used in profusion, too, in many-branched candelabra and in floor candelabra.

Miss Inez Brulay, in a summery frock of yellow organdy embroidered in white, presented each guest with a miniature corsage of sweetheart roses tied with pink and blue ribbons. Attached with ribbons to the corsage was the small card with the engraved announcement: "May 27th Mary Jane-Oli .."

Presiding at the guest book alternately were Miss Jeanine Wortman, in peach colored chiffon with shirred jacket and Miss Mary Warren, in black dotted Swiss with white dots.

Others assisting about the room were Mrs. W. A. Velten, in black chiffon; Mrs. Milton H. West, in deep rose moire; Mrs. E. E. Dickason, in black crepe; Mrs. G. N. Bogel, in a figured foulard; Mrs. R. Roy Ruff, and Mrs. W. H. Meredith.

In the dining room, the tea table, centered with an arrangement of pink rosebuds, blue stock, and baby's breath in a silver bowl, was laid with a handsome cloth of Italian cutwork. On the buffet was another arrangement of the chosen blossoms, flanked by six-branched candelabra holding pink tapers.

Presiding at the table during alternate hours were Mrs. H. G. H. Weinert, in a shortwaist frock of white dotted Swiss, with skirt of crepe; and Mrs. E. W. McCollum, whose blue flowered dress was of dotted Swiss.

Assisting in the dining room were Miss Laura Underwood whose frock was of pale pink net and lace; Mrs. J. P. Williamson in black crepe with a jacket of white eyelet embroidery; Mrs. R. M. Warren, in navy blue and white chiffon with a jacket of white; Mrs. W. B. Sudlow, in a sheer cotton flowered print, with lingerie trim; Mrs. James I. George, in black crepe with jacket of sand colored silk pique; and Mrs. Mike Groom, of McAllen, in a flowered foulard worn with a jacket of scarlet.

About 150 guests called during the designated hours.

Both Miss Groom and her fiance were graduated from Texas Christian University where they received B. A. degrees and both are teachers in the Brownsville school system.

The wedding will be celebrated at 8 o'clock in the evening in the Central Christian church Monday, May 27.

LOCAL WEDDING RITES SUNDAY

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with a band of finely tucked net bordered with lace and similar bands finish the upper portion of the bodice forming a yoke reaching to the shoulders. The gored skirt sweeps into rippling fullness from the hips, more than half its length being layered with tiers of ruffled net which extend in the back to form a train.

Her veil of illusion, wrist length, is adjusted at the head halo fashion, one fold being worn over the face. A matching necklace and bracelet of gold, worn by her grandmother, are to be her only ornaments.

The bridal bouquet is of white gladiolas and sweetheart roses arranged into a colonial design bordered with white maline, while individual roses are knotted in the streamers of the maline.

Miss Mahalah Hamner, the bride's only sister, is to be her sole attendant. Her costume is dusty pink net worn over taffeta.

The waist is tucked and finished with a round collar and the sleeves puffed and full. Five tiers of ruffles border the wide skirt. Her close fitting pink hat is worn with pink veil and has blue flower trim and her flowers are clustered into an old-fashioned nosegay of talisman roses and blue cornflowers.

Miss Perry's costume is navy and her corsage of white gladiolas with pink roses caught in the flower throats. Miss Boone is wearing a costume of green lace with a corsage of pink roses.

Best man for Mr. Wehrung is T. D. Bush of Houston.

Ushers are Findley Hamner, Hempstead, brother of the bride, Winston Hall, Lloyd Allen and Haskell Cook.

Immediately after the ceremony a wedding breakfast, with only members of the bridal party and of the immediate families as guests, will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Newton A. Spilman. Flowers and other appointments denote a color theme of gold and white.

Talisman roses and gold statice in a crystal container center the table which is laid with hand crocheted lace. Matching double candelabra of crystal hold lighted white tapers. Miss Mahalah Hamner is to preside over the serving of the bride's cake, which is three-tiered and all-white decorated with gold, and Miss Lillian McInnis is to have charge of the coffee service. Presiding over the bride's book will be Miss Betty Wehrung, sister of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Hamner, mother of the bride, is wearing soft blue crepe with white collar and the mother of the bridegroom, Mrs. G. W. Wehrung Jr. of Houston, has chosen Alice blue crepe with white accessories. Each is wearing a corsage of white gladiolas.

Miss Hamner has selected for her going away dress a two-piece original model in dusty pink silk crepe, distinguished by a wide necklace of strands of amber beads. Her hat is in a powder blue shade and her accessories white.

Since announcement of her engagement a few weeks ago, Miss Hamner has been honoree for a lengthy series of prenuptial courtesies. She is immediate past president of Alpha Theta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi.

After a wedding trip the couple will establish a home in Houston.

Out of town guests for the wedding include the bride's mother, Mrs. R. E. Hamner, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hamner, and Findley Hamner of Hempstead; Mrs. J. S. Blasingame of Houston; Miss Lois Simpson, San Antonio; Norman Fritze, San Antonio; Miss Leah Maud Brown, Corpus Christi; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wehrung, Jr.; Miss Betty Wehrung and T. D. Bush of Houston.

Bride-Elect Much Feted In San Juan

Miss Romer Named Shower Honoree

SAN JUAN—Miss Edith Catherine Romer, whose engagement and approaching marriage to Ivo Richard Schoppe of Donna was announced recently at a tea given by her mother, Mrs. G. W. Romer, was honored with a bridal shower and bridge party Wednesday at the home of Mrs. U. J. Boehnke with Mrs. J. Lee Stambaugh, Mrs. H. S. Dean, Mrs. L. A. Shaffstall, Mrs. John Jacobs of Alamo and Mrs. Boehnke as co-hostesses.

The dessert course carried out the pink and white color scheme of the party as each table was decorated with pink rose buds and the gifts were wrapped in white cellophane paper tied with pink ribbon and a tiny pink artificial flower graced the lovely packages. In the games of bridge Mrs. J. Randall Hensley won high score and Miss Romer was given a guest prize.

Those present were the guest of honor and Mesdames Romer, Patrick Sullivan, Harry Bigger, T. E. Thompson D. W. Cummings, Lee M. Green, Walter F. Good, Clark Mellenbruck, Burl Stugard, L. F. Kruse, J. Randall Hensley, H. D. Munal, Arthur Reichert, J. L. Stone, Charles Starlin, Ernest Barth of Weslaco and Vernon Sutphen of Donna.

A lovely crystal shower was held for Miss Edith Catherine Romer Wednesday night May 1st, at the home of Mrs. William Morstrom. The living room was decorated with white lilies, roses, pink and blue larkspur. As each guest arrived she was presented with a tiny May Basket filled with flowers which formed a corsage.

During the evening the guests played bridge and high prize was awarded to Mrs. T. W. Gress, consolation prize to Miss Gertrude Kunze and traveling prize to Miss Frances Hicks there were to the honoree.

At the conclusion of the evening there was a knock at the door and when opened a large pink and white May Basket filled with beautiful gifts had been placed there for the bride-elect.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Bryan Harris, Carl Scott, J. P. Lampert, G. W. Romer, W. G. Morstrom, Misses Edith Catherine and Anna Mae Romer, Helen Bell Hicks, San Juan, Mesdames T. W. Gries, Howard Faulkner, Misses Jewell Leathers and Mary Kathryn Kelly, McAllen, Miss Kunze, Sharyland, Miss Dru Harwell, Donna, Mrs. H. N. Browning and Miss Evelyn Morin of Alamo.

Hobby Group Entertained

HARLINGEN—A delightful May Day luncheon was enjoyed by the Hobby Group Wednesday when Mrs. Tom Bowman was hostess. Baskets of spring flowers and bowls of roses were arranged. Each guest received a May basket of flowers.

Yellow predominated in the home decoration and table appointments.

In a clever quiz game, awards went to Mrs. Richard Clift and Mrs. George Wroten, both guests. A recipe shower was staged honoring the hostess.

A piano solo by Betty Sanders and an accordion selection by Thecla Grapperhaus were enjoyed.

Two new members, Mrs. T. C. Hamilton and Mrs. E. H. Moody, were received.

Assisting Mrs. Bowman in hostess duties were Mrs. D. Wass and Mrs. R. T. Sanders.

Present in addition to those named above were Mesdames W. H. Hall, Nina Mohr, J. T. Wass, J. B. Lankford, J. B. Bradford, Jack Summer, and H. M. Dunaway, members, and Mrs. J. T. Sanders, a guest.

Plans were made for a hobby garden party and tea May 15 from 2 to 5 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. H. Hall on Dilworth Road.

South O'Harlingen Club Holds Meeting

HARLINGEN — The South O'Harlingen Home Demonstration club met at the Fairpark Friday evening with Mrs. T. J. Wardlow and Mrs. W. M. Smith as hostesses. The members came attired as school girls and answered roll call by reciting nursery rhymes.

On the motion of Mrs. W. M. Smith, the club voted to make a donation to the Pennybacker Cancer Memorial.

Plans were made for the encampment exhibit.

Refreshments in the form of a school lunch were served to 14 members.

Calendar

HARLINGEN

MONDAY

3:30 p. m. Stephens F. Austin P.-T. A. meets at the school.

8 p. m. Harlingen B. P. W. Club has annual meeting at the Nancy Tea House.

8 p. m. Regular meeting of Harlingen Rainbow Assembly at Masonic Hall.

8 p. m. Harlingen Rainbow Assembly will honor Eastern Stars and Masons with program in Masonic Hall.

12:15 noon Luncheon meeting of Republican Women's club of Cameron County in Green Room at Madison Hotel.

3:15 p. m. James Bowie P.-T. A. meets at the school for installation of officers; executive board meets

3:30 p. m. Austin P.-T. A. meets at the school.

TUESDAY

9:30 a. m. Executive board of Presbyterian Auxiliary meets at the home of Mrs. A. M. Letzerich.

9:30 a. m. Summer Roundun sponsored by Harlingen City Council P.-T. A. for pre-school children opens at First Christian Church.

7:30 p. m. V. F. W. Auxiliary meets at K. C. Hall.

12 noon, St. Alban's Guild meets at the Parish house for a covered dish luncheon.

2:30 p. m. St. Ann's Guild meets at the Knights of Columbus Hall.

3 p. m. Methodist Women's Society of Chirstian Service meets in circles as follows: one with Mrs. Jimmy Fankhauser, 1110 South H. Street; two at the church; three with Mrs. C. E. Thompson, 115 W. Washington; four with Mrs. W. M. Driskill on West State highway; five, with Mrs. J. O. Hardy, Combes highway; six, with Mrs. J. G. Brittain, Rio Hondo Road.

7:45 p. m. Farmers Community meeting at the Stuart Place schoolhouse.

WEDNESDAY

3 p. m. Fine Arts Club meets at the Women's Building.

3:15 p. m. Child Study Club meets at the home of Mrs. Glen Schuepbach.

THURSDAY

3 p. m. Harlingen Study Club and Music Lovers meet at Woman's Building for program on music and poetry.

2:30 p. m. Stuart Place Home Demonstration club meets at the home of Mrs. J. W. Mayfield.

FRIDAY

11 a. m. Valley Garden Council meets in Donna.

Mrs. Davis Is Hostess

BROWNSVILLE—Mrs. Frank L. Davis was hostess at the first in a series of dessert bridge parties when she entertanied very charmingly at her home in Los Ebanos Friday afternoon.

For the games, a spring-like setting had been achieved through the use of pink gladioli and roses, purple iris, and Easter lilies in artistic combination.

At the close of play, Mrs. Milton B. Wentz was presented the high score award, and Mrs. Sam Perl, the second high award. The traveling prize went to Mrs. R. A. Porter.

Four tables of players assembled for the games.

Goodriches Home

BROWNSVILLE—Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Goodrich have returned to their home in Mexico City, from a visit in New York City. They made the return trip by boat.

Party Series For Graduates Is Continued

Saturday Filled With Courtesies

SAN BENITO — A swim and breakfast was the delightful compliment of Saturday morning arranged to honor a quartet of graduates, Misses Eleanor Thompson, Madelyn Valentine, Robbie Weatherly, and Blanch Gilbert. Hostesses were Mesdames J. Roy Taft, J. E. Thompson, L. M. Weatherly, R. L. Valentine, and I. R. Gilbert.

Swimming at the Rotary pool was followed by breakfast at the home of Mrs. Taft. The table was laid with white and centered with a bowl of red and white flowers. Spring blooms were arranged about the rooms.

Breakfast was served on fiestaware pottery. The placecards, written in red ink, revealed characteristics of each guest and a gift marked each cover.

Guests were Betty Mae Smith, Frances Phillips, Peggy Wilmeth, Jean Brady, Doris Heidland, Dorothy Dodds, Lois Lovett, Virginia Wartick, Marie Ann Horkman, Martha Plahn, Evelyn Kennamer, Sadie Lu Davidson, Joyce Littlepage, and Mrs. Anna Bell Buchanan, senior class sponsor.

Mrs. Murray Higgins was hostess Saturday for a luncheon given at Landrum's in Brownsville. Honorees for the gay affair were Misses Dorothy Dodds, Doris Ogden, Jean Brady, and Sadie Lu Davidson, all members of the high school graduating class.

The Mexican motif was stressed with orange and yellow flowers. Favors were red lipstick napkins with corsages.

After the luncheon games of bridge were enjoyed. In the group were Jean Stone, Brownsville, Blanch Gilbert, Frances Phillips, Peggy Wilmeth, Katherine Roberts, Betty Bohner, Lois Lovett Madelyn Valentine, Robbie Weatherly, Doris Heidland, Martha Phahn, Betty Higgins, and Mrs. S. S. Dodds.

Rainbow Girls Will Honor Masons, Stars At Monday Meeting

HARLINGEN — Harlingen Assembly of the Order of the Rainbow will entertain the Harlingen O. E. S. Chapter and Masonic Lodge Monday evening at a called meeting at 8 o'clock in the Masonic Hall. The girls will put on an initiation ceremony for their guests and will also present a pleasing program of music.

Mrs. Hugh Ramsey and Mrs. W. O. Liston will serve at the tea table after the program.

Annual Spring Dinner Set Monday At Parish House

BROWNSVILLE — The annual spring dinner is being sponsored by the Women's Auxiliary for the Church of the Advent (Episcopal) Monday evening at the parish house. Serving will be from six to eight o'clock.

Mrs. E. M. Dierlam, chairman of the committee in charge, has announced that the menu will include baked ham, vegetables, salad, buttered biscuit and dessert.

Wedding Set For June 1



Mrs. Ivy Edrington of Brownsville, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Dodson of San Benito, will become the bride of Glenn H. Dye of Salamanca, New York, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris M. Dye also of New York, in a simple ceremony to be read June 1 in New York. The marriage is of interest as the bride-elect is a life-long resident of the Valley, and Mr. Dye formerly resided in La Feria.

O.E.S. Officers Guests Of Honor For Picnic Supper

HARLINGEN — Among the early picnic events heralding the coming of summer was the supper given by the Past Matrons Club Friday evening in Fairpark honoring the present officers of the Harlingen chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star. The bountiful picnic repast was enjoyed by about 35.

Annual Banquet Set Wednesday

BROWNSVILLE—Annual Mother-Daughter banquet will be sponsored Wednesday at 7 p. m. at the First Presbyterian church.

Tickets for the banquet, to which mothers and daughters are invited, are selling for 35 cents.

Sister Guest Of Mrs. Ford

HARLINGEN—A breakfast at the Reese-Wil-Mond Thursday was arranged by Mrs. Marvin P. Ford to honor her sister, Miss Benja Sides of Dallas. Miss Sides, who has been attending Texas College for Women at Denton, left Saturday with her sister and Mr. Ford on a vacation jaunt in Mexico. She will be their guest for several days after their return.

Seated for the breakfast with the honoree and hostess were Mrs. N. A. Timmins, Miss Marie King, Mrs. Casey Jones, Miss Beulah Lippincott, San Benito and Mrs. Phillip Brady, San Benito.

Roses formed the table centerpiece.

Mrs. Ingram Entertained At Bridge

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. Neil Allen entertained very delightfully Thursday afternoon at her home honoring Mrs. Joe Ingram who departs Sunday for her new home in Little Rock, Arkansas.

The reception rooms of the home were bright with spring flowers. About twenty guests gathered for the games.

At the close of play, Mrs. Boscom Cox was awarded the high score prize, and Mrs. E. M. Dierlam the bingo prize. Low score award went to Mrs. Howard L. Cummins. The hostess presented Mrs. Ingram and Mrs. K. E Shire of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, with pretty remembrances.

Mrs. Joe Ingram was named honoree again when Mrs. J. M. Stein entertained a few of Mrs. Ingram's intimate friends informally at luncheon Wednesday at her home.



Worth Heffner, new chamber of commerce secretary, moved into the air-conditioned Madison the other day until the Missus comes down from Oklahoma. 'It's nice having you around, Worth.'

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Eli Smith, broker recently hospitalized has returned to his home in the Madison Hotel. Eli was a pretty sick boy for a while. He sure did have a pretty nurse (and many callers).

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Tracy Evans, of the Madison Hotel left Friday to undergo treatment for sinus trouble. Our sympathy to Tracy. We know how it feels.

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The Boggus' moved out of the Madison Hotel Friday into their new, beautiful home. We'll miss the Boggus'—but they promised to come down and see us occasionally.

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The Spanish War Veterans had a dinner in the air-conditioned "Green Room" at the Madison Monday evening. The Green Room was reputed to be the Valley's only air-conditioned ballroom until just recently when the Cortez turned its new system on and served the Junior-Senior Banquet in Weslaco. The banquet was a beautiful sight to see. The Cortez Hotel literally overflowed with flowers and the tables were beautifully dressed. Orchids to Bill LaFon, genial manager of the Cortez Hotel in Weslaco.

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Friends of "Al" diminutive waiter in the Cabana, will be happy to know that the auto accident he was in, left little ill-effects. Al, and his smile are back on the job.

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A recent visitor at the Cortez Hotel coffee shop remarked that the food was not alone good—but that the service left nothing to be desired—which made everyone at the Cortez very happy. Said visitor was our good friend — Captain Hamm of the Texas Rangers.

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The Arizonians, harmony trio appearing nightly at the Cabana in the Madison Hotel, have volunteered to play during the street demonstration given for the milk benefit for underprivileged children.

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Work has started on the construction of Montys' new drug store in the Madison Hotel.

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A salesman who stays at the Madison Hotel was overheard while seated in the Madison air-conditioned Madison Coffee Shop. "I really looked forward to getting out of the heat and into this place." And really, it's amazing the number of people who have discovered how cool and comfortable it always is in the Madison coffee shop.

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George Crum from Junkin's got to talking pipes with E. Neel Loeb, comptroller for the Goodman Hotels of Texas and before it was all over, there was some pipe swapping going on and George went home with a couple of new additions to his collection.

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Nick, the pet bob cat of the Cortez Hotel who recently broke his leg in a fall through the elevator shaft of the hotel has been growing so fast, the cast he has been wearing had to be taken off to give Nick 'growing room.' Nick is a little weak on that ill-fated foot, but convalescing very nicely. There are many wagers being made as to the temperament of Nick, the bobcat—when he grows up. We all hope for the best.

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Sherry Johns, formerly of the Madison Hotel staff is now connected with the Commercial Credit Company and doing very nicely we are informed. Much luck to Sherry.

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There are some couples in town that just keep staying in love and never getting married. Tsk. Tsk. What will the world come to.

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By Minnie Gilbert

MUSIC WEEK, Mother's Day, Commencement, and then, of course, June weddings point to the busiest time of the year, except Christmas, for most Valley homes.

May graduates are maintaining a pretty definite lead over June brides in the number of parties to their credit as of even date.

Usually at this time of year the honors are pretty well divided, but large weddings have been less frequent this year than the past few seasons.

Which makes one wonder if the modern girl takes the Leap Year legend with some seriousness after all.

MUSIC WEEK plans this year are highlighted by announcements of one or possibly two exceptionally good programs in each Valley town.

The old idea that Music Week should be commemorated by at least one musical program for the public every day is, fortunately, passing.

Sponsors are leaning to the opinion that quality rather than quality should be their objective and directing their efforts toward one or two outstanding concerts.

HARLINGEN's main contribution will be Haydn's oratorio, "The Creation" to be sung by the Methodist choir in the Methodist church Sunday evening, the group of singers being augmented by the choral unit of the Music Lovers Club of Harlingen.

A little known fact regarding Music Week is that David L. Ormesher, director for the oratorio, assisted as director in the first observance of Music Week which was held in Dallas a number of years ago.

SAN BENITO members of the choral group of the music club have chosen to present a concert of Indian love songs, all compositions by Thurlow Lieurance. Mrs. H V. Gordon is director.

The San Benito performance will be in the Methodist Church Monday at 8 p.m.

The La Feria Music Club, assisted by the various church choirs, will present "Esther," a sacred cantata, Sunday evening at 7:45 in the high school auditorium.

Other programs have been scheduled in these and other Valley towns for Music Week but definite plans had not been made known at this writing.

A tremendous amount of effort and time goes into the presentation of one musical program and the performers merit good audiences.

THE MEN TAKE an important part in the Weslaco Music Club which meets at night, one of the reasons, no doubt, why Weslacoans claim their town is the music center of the Valley.

Luther Hughes is the newly elected president, succeeding Mrs. W. F. Keeney.

AND AT LOS FRESNOS men frequently participate in evening meetings of the Garden Club, even to presenting the programs.

They're committed to carrying out a joint project with the women club members during the summer.

AND AT LEAST three of the active artists in the Rio Grande Valley Art League are men.

FIRST CEREUS blossom for 1940, so far as we have observed, opened April 23.

It must have been a test bloom or something of the sort for no others have yet appeared on the cactus that was fairly well sheltered from last winter's cold.

Folks who visited the cereus-infested brush in East Cameron County in the early Spring report the cactus stalks were crumpled into pulp almost and there probably would be few blossoms this summer.

However, new shoots have grown rapidly on cereus in town gardens and it's our notion that the chaparral thickets will be dotted with the flowers about next full moon.

ANACUITA TREES or shrubs are back to normal now and, unless moisture is lacking, well loaded with fragile white blossoms.

The anacuitas bloom about 10 months in the year and are resistent to drought.

But the transplanted trees blossom much more abundantly if given a fair amount of water, while those in the brush bloom anyway.

It seems to be just one of those things.

But anacuitas, as well as retamas, huisaches, laurel, and ebony, should be investigated if you're planning flowering native trees for your yard.

ONE OF THE most consistently attractive beauty spots in the Valley's commercial district this spring has been the rose beds on the Missouri Pacific right of way in Harlingen.

Scores of roses in bloom make a spectacle that is enjoyed by hundreds of passers-by daily.

THIS SEASON Valley hostesses are making use of cactus in decorating for entertainment in their home and in for large affairs given by clubs and other groups.

Hitherto, the prickly pear blossoms were seldom taken from their thorny pads.

But Valley women are becoming increasingly adept in flower arrangement and discovering possibilities previously unnoticed.

Cactus blossoms are prettiest if cut in the morning before the blossoms have begun to unfold.

Individual blossoms will open at different times giving an especially attractive effect.

Best results are usually obtained by leaving the blossom attached to at least a part of the leaf on which it is growing instead of removing just the blossom and the pear which forms its base.

Cactus blossoms last only a day outdoors but some buds gathered early one morning will remain opened until noon of the next day inside.

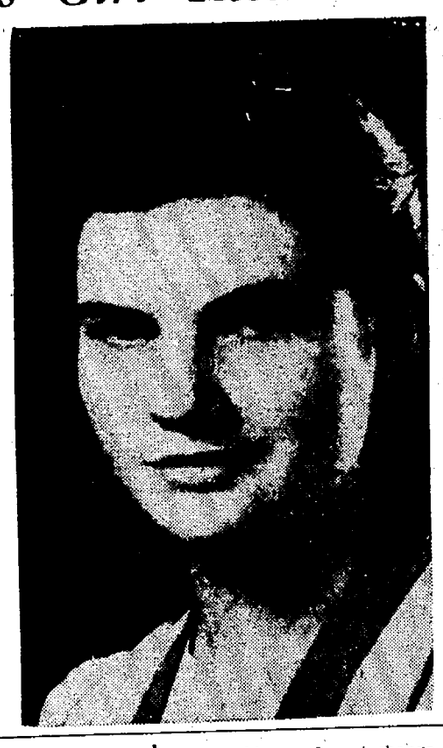
Yellow blooms do not change to orange and orange to red as many still believe.

However, in the late afternoon the orange color becomes rosier as the outside leaves start closing.

And some pears in the brush do appear to bear blossoms in several shades of red.

This probably is due to variation in soil, since pads from a plant bearing vivid red blooms in sandy Willacy county bore orange blooms after being transplanted in clay soil in Cameron county.

Heads Girl Reserves



Miss Winifred Raymond is the re-elected president of the Raymondville Girl Reserves She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burleson Raymond, and the grand daughter of Edward Burleson Raymond, pioneer owner of the land of which the town of Raymondville now stands and for whom the town was named. Winifred is a Junior in High school. (Photo by Holbrook)

Hospitality In Weslaco Attractive

WESLACO—One of the prettiest of outdoor courtesies was given on the attractive lawn, bordered with colorful larkspur Thursday night when Mrs. O. Randolph Scott was hostess to the faculty of the Christian Church Sunday school, with the pastor and wife, Rev. and Mrs. Carr as special guests.

Mrs. Paul Shary gave a most interesting book review of "I Dare You" and Dick Norton, superintendent, presided during the business routine.

Superintendent and Mrs. Norton and Mrs. Ferris Wells with 20 faculty members were served frozen peach cake and iced tea.

The annual get-together of the faculty of the North Ward school was a banquet Wednesday night at the city hall.

Participating were Principal O. R. Scott and Mrs. Scott, Superintendent and Mrs. C. B. Cooper, Misses Grace Morrison, Ruth Reed, Marjory Dawe, Grace Richeson, Myrl Fawcett, Mrs. Ollie Westbrook, Mr. Westbrook, Mrs. Chester Martin, Mrs. and Mr. Milton Weaver, Mrs. Emerson, Mrs. Boutwell, Mrs. Wortham, Mrs. Hazel Blackwell, Mrs. A. P. Miller and Mr. Miller, Mrs. Fred Kay, Mrs. Catherine Martin and Mrs. J. E. Lovett.

Unusual Annual Banquet Represents Sailing Ship

SHARYLAND — Sharyland high school seniors cruised on the good ship "The Merry Gang," as guests of the junior class "crew" Friday evening when the annual junior-senior banquet was held at the First Methodist Church in Mission. Forty members of the two classes and special guests were members of the "sailing party."

Ships' wheels on which the ship's name was inscribed stood upright to form the centerpieces along the length of the banquet tables to introduce the keynote of the event. Old manuscript writing on the programs told the "log" of the cruise. Treasure chests were inscribed with names of the ship's company and with travel stickers, to form the nut cups which were favors.

Paul Schmidt was the captain who acted as master of ceremonies. Leon H. Brown, Mission, gave the address of the evening, which the program termed "Old Ship's Tales." Other program numbers were:

Calling Mates Aboard, Irene Bokor; Shipmates' Response, Donald Heizer; All Hands on Deck, the class history, Ruth Bremer; Anchor's Aweigh, song by both classes; Tribute to an Old Boat, class poem, Geraldine Kennedy; On the Good Ship Lollipop, vocal solo by Irene Bokor, accompanied by Mrs. Elmer Bentsen; Cablegram, class prophecy, Leland Anderson; End of the Cruise, class will, Lois Wilson. A concluding feature was the group of guitar and mandolin selections presented by Geraldine and Bob Kennedy.

Old Spanish galleons marked places for the seniors: Claudine Kennedy, Robert Longwell, Eugenia Turner, Ruth Bremer, Horton Smith, Wallace Anderson, Ruby Bremer, Maxine Billman, Eilleen Anderson, Lois Wilson, Donald Heizer, Leland Anderson, Melvin Schoening, Edwin Bormann, Geraldine Kennedy, Elmo Killian, Edelmiro Garza, Walter Hatley, Wayne Giese, Betty Jo Carlile, and Marvin Hewitt.

The juniors: Sybil Jean Craig, Garet Crist, Jeanne Righton, Billy Jane Wolfrum, Irene Bokor, Paul Schmidt, B. Kennedy, and Robert Bentsen. The faculty: Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Smith, Miss Sunshine Bozeman, Miss Louise Lane, Miss Victor Searcy, Mrs. Freddie Saunders, Charles Porter. The special guests: Mr. and Mrs. Brown, and Mrs. Bentsen.

Two Are Hostesses To Dunkers Club For Bunco Party

HARLINGEN—Especially delightful was the bunco party given for members of the Dunkers Cluo Thursday night at the Matz home on the Combes highway. Hostesses were Misses Mona Matz and Teenie Bothwell.

Guests were seated for games at tables placed in the large lighted garage. High score went to Mrs. Mary Frances Gamble and Mrs. Carolyn Cameron received the trophy for low.

Refreshments were served to Misses Bernice Prenzler, Frances Payne, Yetieve Dubose, Evelyn Dill, Gladys Wallace and Edna Belle Farrar and Mesdames Mary Frances Gamble, Carolyn Cameron, Vassar Matz, Emmie Matz, Bill Winters, Katie Henderson, E. O. Matz, Alice Strong and Malinda Hirsch, San Benito, and two daughters, Dorothy and Juanita.

Spring Event In Weslaco Is Delightful

WESLACO--Among the delightful spring parties was the pretty luncheon bridge at which Mrs. Newell Waters was hostess Thursday honoring out of club guests and members of her Thursday club at her lovely country home.

Gorgeous bouquets of red and white roses were placed throughout the living room and dining room, and cactus added an unusual decorative effect on the spacious porch.

The dining table from which the delicious luncheon was served was beautifully laid with an exquisite lace cover, and white tapers in silver shed a mellow glow to the arrangement of roses centering the table, and adding to the gleaming silver service.

Enjoying the courtesy were Mrs. E. L. McCalip, a luncheon guest, and Mesdames Fred Turner, Mrs. C. L. Skaggs, Hill Cox of Harlingen, Charles Sherrill, Harry Solether, Phil Dixon, W. F. Powell, W. H. Baxter, Jr., Willoughby Gundry, E. C. Christensen and Everett Knapp.

At the close of games Mrs. Harry Solether was winner of the score award.

Final Meet Held

LOS FRESNOS—The final meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association was held in the high school auditorium on Wednesday afternoon. The well known song "Our Valley Home" was sung to open the meeting.

The resignation of Mrs. G. C. Greer as president was accepted and Mrs. A. J. Schaffer was elected to fill the vacancy.

TRUCK ACCIDENT FATAL

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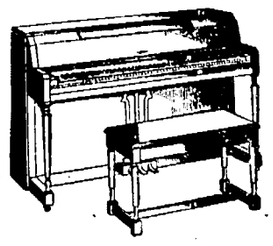


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Music Week is being awaited with particular interest by the general public, sponsors for programs in various Valley towns have reported. Inquiries regarding plans for concerts and requests for assisting in arranging music as a part of Music Week observance are quite numerous, officers of music clubs and other groups have announced.

Oratorio Scheduled

HARLINGEN—In observnce of National Music Week the First Methodist Choir, assisted by the Music Lovers Club, will present "The Creation" by Joseph Haydn in the church auditorium Sunday at 8 p.m. David L. Ormesher is director.



DAVID L. ORMESHER

The dramatic story, told in song, is based upon the book of Genesis. The solos, choruses, and accompaniment describe order and beauty emerging from chaos as the oratorio opens; then the creation of the earth, sky, and light; and at last the fields, flowers, and living beings.

Miss Margaret McCandless, San Benito, is soprano soloist, having the role of Gabriel. Beauty of nature is particularly outstanding in her interpretation of "With Verdure Clad" and "On Mighty Pens."

The part of Uriel is song by Grady Whittle, Lyford, tenor, and Raphael, by Paul Lindhorn of Brownsville, bass

Accompanists are Miss Virginia Perry, organist, and Mrs. Verda Wheeler, pianist.

Requirements for presenting "The Creation" are comparable to Handel's "Messiah" and music critics from many sections of the Valley are expected to be in the audience Sunday night. Persons expecting to attend are requested to arrive before the hour for opening the oratorio.

Fine Arts Program

Commemorating National Music Week the Harlingen Study Club and the Music Lovers Club will present a program Thursday at 3:30 p.m. at the Woman's Building. Regular meeting of the Study Club will be held at 3 p.m. The program, scheduled for 3:30 p.m., will be as follows:

Two pianos: "Coronation Scene" from Opera "Boris Godounoff" by Moussorgsky, Mrs. C. A. Washmon and Mrs. H. J. Adamson.

Vocal solo: "Moon Marketing" by Weaver, Mrs. Vance Oheme; accompanist, Mrs. A. M. Jones.

Piano solo: "Grande Valse Brilliante" by Chopin, Mrs. W. J. Williams.

Vocal trio "To A Wild Rose," by Edvard McDowell, Mrs. P. G. King, Miss Mary Elizabeth Challes, and Mrs. Jack Grim; accompanist, Mrs. Charles Washmon.

The Study Club presents Mrs. Alex Gerry of Weslaco, reading her favorite poems.

Vocal solo (a) "Ah Che La Morte Ognora" from "Il Trovatore" by Verdi, (b) "By the Bend of the River" by Clara Edwards, Mrs. I. G. Fox; accompanist, Mrs. C. H. Washmon.

Piano solo, Rondo, "The Rage Over the Lost Penny" by Beethoven, Mrs. L. L. Wheeler.

Mrs. Washmon will give a short talk on International Music followed by Becca von Kreveld Detert in Dutch costume, singing a group of Dutch songs, and Mrs. Elmer Johnson in Swedish costume, singing a group of Swedish songs. Both will be accompanied by Mrs. L. M. Vigness of La Feria.

Daily Program Set In Mission

MISSION—A well-rounded program in which religious, educational and civic organizations will join is planned for the Mission observance of National Music Week, May 5-12, it was announced this week by Mrs. Arnold J. Shary, chairman of the observance sponsored by the Mission Music Club. Musical events have been planned for each day of the week, either as a separate program or in correlation with services or programs of the participating organizations.

Music Week will be stressed in special music at church services Sunday morning and Sunday at the South Mission Methodist Church. The week will be observed Monday at the Rotary Club luncheon; Tuesday with a Fine Arts program presented by the high school music department; Wednesday at the Lions Club; Thursday at church women's organization meetings; Friday with a high school assembly program and Saturday with a band concert at Strahle Park at 7:30 p.m.

Sunday morning at the First Presbyterian Church, Miss Doris Jean Ewing of Pharr and Mission will be the guest soloist and the choir will present an anthem, "The Lord Is My Shepherd," by Ashford, directed by Mrs. T. E. Wiedemann. At the Frist Christian Church, the congregation will read responsively the Texas Federation of Music Clubs Collect and an anthem, "Great Is Jehovah," arranged by Gabriel, will be presented by the choir under the direction of Mrs. A. J. Whittlesey.

Mrs. Joe Stead will direct the choir of the First Methodist Church when the anthem, "Seek Ye the Lord" by Roberts, will be presented. The tenor part featured in the anthem will be sung by Tommy McKinnon. S. L. Turner, choir director of the First Baptist Church, will direct the presentation of special numbers to accent the observance at that church.

Mrs. Adolfo de la Garza, choir director of the South Mission Methodist Church, announced the observance at that church will center on a piano solo to be presented by Miss Carmen de la Garza and other selected numbers, at the evening services at 7:30 p.m.

Two special numbers will be presented by the Mission Choral Club, directed by Mrs. Wiedemann, at the luncheon programs of the Rotary and Lions Clubs, Monday and Wednesday, respectively. The numbers chosen are "The Rosary" by Nevins and "The Bells of St. Mary's," arranged by Adams.

The awards will be presented to outstanding high school musicians Tuesday night with the Mission Music Club the donor for the annual award. The presentation will be a high point of the Fine Arts Concert in which the high school chorus units will be presented by Clayborn C. Norris and the high school band by Phil Shrader, Tuesday night at the Morgan Building Auditorium, starting at eight p.m

Programs to complete the week's observance will feature high school music groups at the Friday afternoon assembly program, directed by Mr. Norris and Mr. Shrader, and the band concert Saturday evening in charge of Mr. Shrader.

Series Events Scheduled In McAllen

McALLEN—National Music Week will be sponsored in McAllen by the members of the McAllen Music Club with Mrs. Thornton Thacker in charge of the arrangements.

To open observance of the event members of the Music Club will meet at the home of Mrs. R. D. Cox Monday at 3 p.m. for a program on American music with particular stress laid on the life and works of Mac Dowell. Each member is permitted to bring a guest. Mrs. C. C. Pope is in charge of the program.

Monday night a special musical program will be given at the McAllen Junior High school auditorium by the music departments of the junior and senior high schools under the direction of Instructors Hermann Wren and William Doyle. The public is invited to attend.

The Music Club trio, composed of Mrs. George Fox, Mrs. Ray Losn and Mrs. Thacker will sing Tuesday at the annual breakfast of the City Federation of Women's Clubs at the Casa de Palmas Hotel. At noon Tuesday members of the Sub-Deb trio, Phyliss Jones, Lila Beth Culwell and Mary Evelyn Leslie, will sing for the Kiwanas Club luncheon with David Calvin. The program as well as others for the Rotary and Lions Clubs meetings have been arranged by Mrs. Faye Jones.

Cantata Set In La Feria

LA FERIA—The La Feria Music Club, with the assistance of the different church choirs of La Feria, will present "Esther," a sacred cantata in five acts, Sunday evening, May 5, at 7:45 o'clock in the high school auditorium.

This very beautiful musical production will be presented with action, costumes, and a stringed orchestra accompaniment.

The public is invited.

Mercedes Program Sunday Afternoon

MERCEDES—In observance of National Music Week, the choir of the First Methodist Church at Mercedes will present a vesper service musical program Sunday afternoon at five o'clock. The choir is under the direction of Nix Harrington.

Director For Concert



Mrs. H. V. Gordon of San Benito is director of the court, featuring Indian love songs by Lieurance, to be presented Monday at 8 p. m. in the Methodist Church auditorium by the San Benito Music Club chorus. (Photo by Holbrook)

Sunday Vespers To Open Music Week In San Benito

SAN BENITO—Music Week in San Benito will be formally opened with an outdoor vesper service in the city park at 4 p. m. Sunday, May 5. The program will include an endorsement of Music Week by the mayor, Louis Witte, and invocation by Dr. C. S. McKinney. Group singing will be under the direction of Mr. W. E. Hatchett. The choirs of all city churches have been invited to join the massed choir, which will present two numbers, "Hark, Hark, My Soul," by Shelly, and "Praise Ye Jehovah," by Gounod.

On Monday evening the Music Club chorus, under the direction of Mrs. H. V. Gordon, will present a concert for Indian music by Lieurance. The chorus will be accompanied by Mrs. A. J. Moore at the organ, and Mrs. S. V. Neely at the piano, and will be assisted with flute and violin obbligatos. Immediately following the concert the members of the music club will be hostesses to the public in their annual open house.

The San Benito men's double quartet, under the direction of Mrs. James Ward, will give the Tuesday evening concert. The program includes two solos by Mrs. Ward with Mrs. Colmery as accompanist, as well as A. Cappella numbers by the quartet. On Wednesday the high school band, directed by C. J. Hall, will present a full evening of entertainment, beginning at 8:45.

The high school Glee Club and chorus groups under the direction of W. E. Hatchett, will give the final program of the week on Thursday evening.

All of the evening programs will be held in the auditorium of the Methodist church at eight o'clock, with the exception of the Wednesday evening concert, which will begin at 8:45, to prevent conflict with the regular Wednesday evening church services.

The San Benito Music Club extends cordial invitation to all music lovers of the Valley to attend.

Botanist's Life Story Is Related

HARLINGEN — The Life History of Karl von Linne, commonly known as Linnaeus, was interestingly told by Mrs. W. H. Hall as the program feature at the meeting of the Harlingen Garden Club Thursday afternoon. She showed why the Swedish botanist of the early 18th century is reverenced by botanists and other scientists. Not only was he eminent in botany, in which his simple Linnaean system of the sexual relationship of plants led to more satisfactory classification, but he was eminent in all the sciences of his time, she told her hearers. She developed especially his contribution to botany.

Announcement was made that beautification of the grounds at the Harlingen Day Nursery, including the setting of severrl trees and many shrubs and plants, is virtually completed. The report was made by Mrs. C. H. Simmons, chairman.

The session was the concluding meeting to be presided over by Mrs. O. E. Stuart, outgoing president. At the next meeting a tea honoring the new officers will be held at the home of Mrs. Stuart. At this time a shower will be given for Mrs. Hall, president-elect, plants being chosen suitable for growing in her newly completed greenhouse.

Benefit Given For Hospital

BROWNSVILLE—About 18 tables of players assembled for the games in the bridge and tea sponsored by the Mercy Hospital Auxiliary Thursday afternoon at the Brownsville Countrty club. Proceeds will go to the hospital.

There were table prizes at each table, and the first door prize went to Mrs. W. T. Burns, and the second to Mrs. J. G. Williams of Bayview.

Centerpiece for the tea table was a lovely arrangement of larkspur in tones of lavender and pink. Presiding were Mrs. Larry Lightner and Mrs. Dean Porter.

The auxiliary will assist the hospital in the observance of Hospital Day May 12 when open house is held between 4 and 7 o'clock at the institution. Auxiliary members will assist in hostess duties when all friends of the hospital will be welcomed. The auxiliary will sponsor too a tag day Saturday, May 11. Mrs. John Closner is chairman of arrangements for the tag day.

SWIMMING PARTY

ALAMO — The Seventh grade pupils of the Pharr-San Juan-Alamo high school enjoyed a swimming party at Cascade on Friday afternoon.

John F. Barrons Hosts At Bridge To Evening Club

BROWNSVILLE — Mr. and Mrs. John F. Barron entertained their Wednesday Evening Bridge club this week at their home. A guest player was Mrs. Joe Ingram.

In the games, Jack Wiech was high.

Players were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wiech, Mrs. Iingram, Mr. and Mrs. George Putegnat, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Perry, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Stephens, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pilgrim. The Pilgrims will be hosts at the next session.

E. Brownsville School Observes Patrons Day

BROWNSVILLE — Annual Patrons' Day was observed Thursday at the East Brownsville school with visiting hours between 2 and 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

The patrons were shown through the rooms where the work of the children done during the past year was exhibited. The rooms were decorated with flowers.

Attractive invitations with poems appropriate for Mothers Day had been made by the pupils. Miss Amelia Campbell, principal, and the teachers, joined the children in extending the invitation to attend.

Miss Hamner Honored On Wedding Eve.

HARLINGEN — An interesting tradition in the Harlingen Beta Sigma Phi was observed with the spinster dinner given Saturday evening to honor Miss Virginia Hamner whose marriage to George William Wehrung III of Houston takes place at eight o'clock Sunday morning. Hostesses were Misses Ida Ruth King and Marion Williams at the latter's home, 902 E Taylor

A garden supper served in the back yard lighted by colored lights was the especially enjoyable event arranged by the hostesses. Roses were used for decoration.

On the buffet table rested twin cakes, heart-shaped, and linked by an arrow. Lettered in icing on the tops were "Virginia" and "George."

Special guests were Mrs. R. E. Hamner of Hemstead, mother of the honoree, and Miss Mahalah Hamner, her sister.

Sorority members included Misses Virginia Hamner, Irene Peck, Ida Ruth King, Louise White, Beth Gregory, Dora Lamon, Laura Shaw, Louise Hale, Lillian McInnis, Frances Peck and Mesdames Tom Starkey, W. J. Matz, John L. Stone, Clinton Beck, Preston Wilson, Carl Swanson, Ernest Langh: George Beck, Randal McLelland, and Tommy Thomas.

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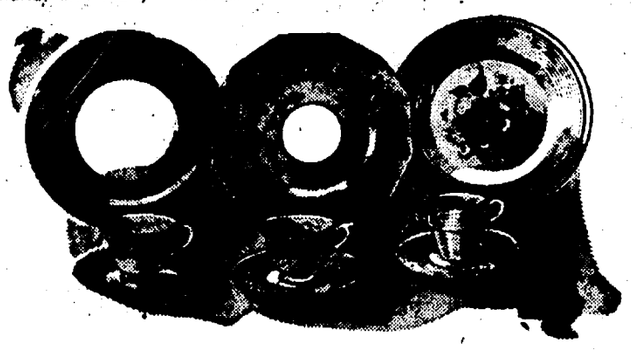


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Scores of pretty young misses were present Saturday afternoon when Miss Mary Frances Lundy, above, was the honored guest at a springtime tea given at the home of Miss Betty Edelstein. Members of the Tip-Top Club, junior social organization, were hostesses for the event which was their outstanding social function. Miss Lundy was feted as a graduate of the class of 1940. (Staff Photo)

Calendar For Week Crowded

HARLINGEN — Annual meeting of the Harlingen B.P.W. Club will be held Tuesday at 8 p.m. at the Macy Tea House. After business has been concluded, an informal reception will be held.

All members are urged to attend.

ART IS SUBJECT FOR CLUB PROGRAM

Modern trends in painting will be presented in the program for the regular meeting of the Fine Arts Club Wednesday at the Woman's Building. Mrs. Elmer Johnson will talk on "Surrealism" and Mrs. P. G. Greenwood on "Mural Painting." Appropriate music will be "Rhapsody in Blue" played by Mrs. L. M. Vigness, La Feria.

Hostesses are Dr. Vivian Amidon and Mrs. Guy Leggett.

LUNCHEON PLANNED BY EPISCOPAL WOMEN

St. Alban's Guild will meet at the parish house Tuesday at noon for a covered dish luncheon. All women in the church are cordially invited.

AUSTIN P.-T.A. TO MEET MONDAY

Final meeting for the year will be held by the Austin P.T.A. Monday at the school at 3:30 p.m. Yearly reports will be presented and new officers installed.

The program will feature a talk "Moral and Religious Development of Children" by Mrs. B. S. Mothershead, a guest. Miss Beryl Baker will present a group of her pupils in song numbers.

CATHOLIC WOMEN TO MEET TUESDAY

St. Ann's Guild will meet for their regular monthly business meeting Tuesday, May 7, at the Knights of Columbus Hall.

Hostesses for the meeting will be Mesdames A. L. Bourg and J. A. Scheiner.

Mrs. J. L. Rentfro To Be Heard In Review Of Book

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. James L. Rentfro will be presented in a review of Don Secundo Sombre in a benefit sponsored by the Parent-Teacher associatoin of the Clearwater Grammar School May 16.

The review will be heard beginning at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and proceeds will be used to purchase maps for the school.

Mrs. Gayman Returns Home

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. Wayne Gayman, Jr., has returned to her home in San Antonio after a visit here wtih her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fricks. Mrs. Gayman was until her marriage this past December, Miss Lahoma Fricks. She was the guest of her parents while her brother, Bill Fricks, was a guest here also. Bill has departed for Hamilton Field, California, to continue his study of aviation.

La Feria P.-T.A. Meets Wednesday

LA FERIA—The Parent-Teacher Association will hold the concluding meeting of the year Wednesday afternoon at the junior high school auditorium. A music program will be presented in observance of National Music Week.

Installation of officers also will be carried out and annual reports received, Mrs. R. P. Roach, president, has announced.

Recent Bride Honored



Mrs. Dick Lloyd is the former Miss Floye Garrett. She recently has been honored with several attractive shower courtesies.

Bridal Shower Given For Mrs. Dick Lloyd

HARLINGEN — A delightful shower honoring Mrs. Dick Lloyd, who before her recent marriage, was Miss Floye Garrett, was given Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Frances Waters with Mrs. Alex Matz as co-hostess.

The living room was decorated with roses and lilies. A series of games were played, the prizes going to the bride. A treasure hunt was staged for the honoree, ending when she discovered a basket of lovely gifts in the living room.

A refreshing drink was served with sandwiches and cookies.

The list of invited guests were Misses Helen Ritchie, Lorene Means, Betty Lee Burke, Eulane Wiliams, Virginia Hill, Betty Jane Withers, and Floyce Garrett, Mesdames B. B. Willis, Raymond Stroud, Bill Pitzer, Dorothy Mays, L. B. Martin, R. S. Garrett, Vassar Matz.

And Mesdames E. O. Matz, F. J. Garrett, Lewis Maston, Floyd Mitchell, and Misses Florence Matz, Dorothy Adolph, Doris Fern Rossler, and Delitha Bothwell.

Delegates Are Named

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. Roy F. Breeden was in charge of the lesson on Mexico between the years of 1910 and 1913 at the Thursday morning meeting of the Alpha Study club at the R. A. Hightower home.

Delegates to the Delphian council meeting in Harlingen May 9 were appointed, and are Mrs. Jack Wiech, Mrs. Fritz Schmidt, and Mrs. Harold H. Haaker.

Mrs. Haaker was welcomed as a new member.

At the next meeting, to be held in two weeks, new officers will be elected.

Pair Returns

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. Lucy A. Nance and her daughter, Mrs. Sam Beeker, returned Thursday evening to their home here after a delightful motor trip of three weeks. They joined a party of friends in Houston, and from there went to New Orleans, Louisiana; Natchez, Vicksburg, and Gulfport, Mississippi; Mobile, Alabama, and Pensacola, Florida.

Garden Club Hears Echoes Of Confab

WESLACO—Mrs. R. A. Dennison was hostess Thursday morning to the Garden club, with Mrs. George Godfrey, president in charge. Mrs. Fred Rives was the program chairman with Mrs. LeRoy Buss who gave an interesting report of the state convention, and also gave a talk of "Drought Resisting Plants."

Mrs. DeWald, a Junior Club enthusiast urged better co-operation of the senior members with the junior workers.

The Valley Council was announced to be held at Donna May 10 and the next meeting of the club will be a covered dish luncheon at the home of Mrs. LeRoy Buss.

Twenty six members enjoyed the interesting morning meeting and Mrs. S. W. Price was welcomed a new member.

A profusion of colorful spring flowers decorated the living rooms, when Mrs. J. E. Lovett was hostess to her sewing circle Wednesday afternoon at her home.

Geusts were Mesdames Haas, LeMaster, Woodward, Jones, Hawkins, Ewing, Molby and Penick and Miss Jones.

The hostess served iced punch and cookies.

Mrs. Goodwyn Hostess At Coffee Saturday Morning

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. C. H. Goodwyn entertained very delightfully at coffee Saturday morning in the rooms on the second floor at Landrum's.

She was hostess to about sixty-five guests during the hours of 10 and 12 o'clock in the morning. About the rooms were pretty arrangements of spring flowers.

Centering the coffee table was an artistic bouquet of pink roses. Presiding alternately here were Mrs. W. E. McDavitt, and her daughter, Mrs. O. J. Studeman.

Los Fresnos Woman's Club Holds Annual Guest Day Program

LOS FRESNOS—One of the highlights of the year in Los Fresnos Woman's Service club was the annual guest day held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Leon Hinkley. Acting as co-hostesses with Mrs. Hinkley were Mrs. Grover Greer, and Mrs. Ura Breedlove.

The program was arranged by the dramatics committee of which Mrs. E. A. Olson is chairman. Mrs. Kenneth Bland's music committee assisted.

Mrs. Cleve Tandy of Brownsville sang "The Night Wind," by Ernest R. Ball and "Nothin' But Love," by Carrie Jacobs Bond, accompanied by Kent Stratford. Mr. Stratford then gave as piano solos, "Scenes From an Imaginary Ballet," by Coleridge-Taylor, and "Capricio," by Dohnanyi. Mrs. H. V. Gordon of San Benito sang "Blue Danube," by Johann Strauss, and "Strawberry Jam," one of her own compositions. She was accompanied at the piano by Arthur Moore.

A one-act playlet, "Trouble In An Old Lady's Home," was presented by Mrs. Frank Williams, Mrs. E. A. Olson, Mrs. Harold Pugh, and Mrs. Herbert Leach.

Twenty-eight members, and the following guests were present: Mesdames D. D. Steele, Otto Toland, H. J. Tandy, Sr., Mark N. French, Nolan Taylor, J. E. Shankle, S. F. Henderson, Bradford Ramsey, Kay Johnston, Kermit Weikel, J. A. Dilhite, Phil R. Moyle, A. W. Schaffer, Charles Buchen, R. C. Galleyn, Inga Olson, William Andresen, Blanche Manor, and Florence Collins, all of Lost Fresnos, and Mesdames H. V. Gordon, Arthur J. Moore, and M. E. Zumwalt of San Benito; Mrs. Cleve Tandy, Mrs. Mark N. French, and Kent Stratford, all of Brownsville.

Luncheon Set To Conclude Club Year

ELSA—Plans for the final meeting of the club year, a luncheon Saturday, May 18, were made when the Elsa Civic and Study Club met at the club house Wednesday afternoon with the president, Mrs. D. M. Graham, presiding. After the luncheon at one o'clock the regular meeting and year's report will be given and new club officers installed.

Mrs. John Carr was program leader for the Wednesday meeting. Her topic was National Music Week. She also gave a demonstration lesson by the singing class, a group of about 12 children.

The Girl Reserves of the Edcouch-Elsa school were guests and sang a group of songs. Also the work and ideals of their organization were explained.

About 20 club members were present.

Mrs. Dales Knapp Is Bridge Hostess

ALAMO — Mrs. Dales Knapp was hostess to her bridge club on Wednesday. After the games she served a salad course to the following: Mesdames Albert Jensen, Carl Darnell de Roulac, Ira Sharp, Tut Cadell, Dick Winn, and A. F. Taylor. Mrs. Cadell received high, Mrs. Jensen second high and Mrs. Drennan consolation.

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Brownsville Art League Sending Invitations For Exhibit Of Dublin's Work

BROWNSVILLE — Members of the Brownsville Art League are sending out invitations to a coffee at which they will exhibit etchings by James Harvey Dulin. The etchings will be shown Friday morning between the hours of 10 and 12 o'clock at the country home of Mrs. W. W. Ely.

Sixteen of the artist's etchings will be displayed. Mr. Dulin's works have been shown in the Annual Exhibition of Chicago Artists, many years in succession in the salon of the Societe Nationale des Beaux-Arts in Paris, the Toledo Museum of Art, and many others.

Included in the work to be shown are these original works: The Bow Tree, L'interieur Breton, Facade of Medinet Habu, Notre Dame de Paris, La Rotisserie de la rue St. Maur, Karnac, Luxor, Le Port de St. Tropez, Le Potager de Paris, Le Coin du Quai, Les Pecheurs de Mulets (dry point), Le Quai du vin (lithograph), Le vieux Monastere (lithograph) Aubergenville, Holly in My Window, and Le Trois Mats.

Mr. Dulin, who has been making his home in Chicago, is interested in establishing a school of arts in this section of the country. He has considered the possibility of founding a school in the next several years which would be connected with some established school of arts, and which would have visiting professors.

The League plans to evhibit the etchings to art classes in the public schools, and possibly to the service clubs also.

To Give Concert

ELSA—The High School Band will be presented in a concert at 5:30 p.m. near the Wilson Drug Store. A 45-minute concert will be given under the direction of Clyde Hand.

Calendar

BROWNSVILLE

MONDAY

Beta Sigma Phi at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. T. A. Kinder, Jr.

Presbyterian auxiliary executive board at 3:30 p. m.

Episcopal Woman's Auxiliary at 2:30 p. m. at the parish house.

Annual spring dinner sponsored by the Episcopal Woman's auxiliary between 6 and 8 p. m. in the parish house.

Methodist WMS in circles at 3 p. m. is follows: One, Mrs. L. L. Lloyd; Two and Three, at the church; Young Matrons, Mrs. G. L. Baker; Lucy Rae, Mrs. R. A. McKee.

Business meeting of the Sacred Heart Altar Society at the parish hall.

Business meeting of the Pan American Round Table at the Ben M. Freudestein home at 9:30 a. m.

TUESDAY

Brownsville Travel Club tea by Mrs. W. W. Underwood and Mrs. J. B. Coulter at the Coulter home.

Learners Club at the Woman's Club with Mrs. G. S. Stell.

Athenian Club with Mrs. Fred Knapp.

Presbyterian evening circle with Miss Anna Mae Walton.

Tuesday Bridge Club with Mrs. Jack Mace.

Mardi Bridge Club with Mrs. C. E. McCormick.

WEDNESDAY

Penny Supper at the Central Christian church.

Wednesday Study Club with Mrs. G. W. Moothart.

Annual Mother-Daughter banquet sponsored by the Skinner Memorial class at 7 p. m. at the Presbyterian church.

THURSDAY

Victoria Civic Club with Mrs. G. E. Lauver at 9:30 a. m.

El Jardin Heights Social Club with Mrs. L. A. Crowe, 923 W. St. Francis.

Evening Bridge Club with Mr. and Mrs. John Dutro.

FRIDAY

Coffee and exhibit of Dulin etchings by the Brownsville Art League at the home of Mrs. W. W. Ely between 10 and 12.

Patronse Day and PTA meeting at the Victoria Heights school at 2:30 p. m.

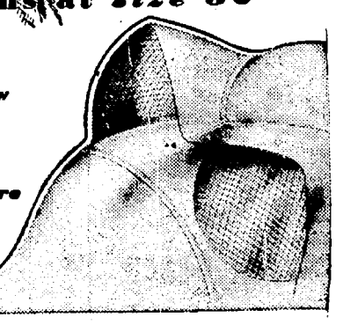
SATURDAY

Tea for mothers by the L. B. L. Club at the Woman's Club.

Dance for Kitty Junker and Lena Holland by the L. B. L. Club at the G. P. Dashiell residence.

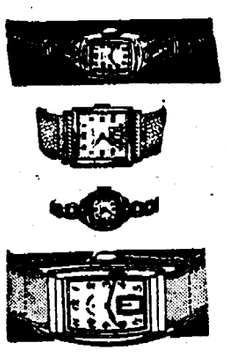
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RAYMONDVILLE — A clever comic costume party with guests representing popular comic strip characters was given by Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Stephens for their daughter, Delores, and Miss Maurine Cheney on Wednesday evening at the Woman's club.

Appropriate to the season was the May Day decorations and May pole with streamers of red and white. The throne for the King and Queen of Comics was occupied by the winners who were James Duddlesten as the "Villian" and Winifred Raymond as "Nikki Nikki."

Guests dancing throughout the evening were: Misses Barbara Calloway, Delana Stephens, Winifred Raymond, Patricia Loe, Willie Mae Nachlinger, Sally Dewitt, Doris Parham, Sedelle Durham, Alta Mae Marshall, Frances Kenedy, Frances Cook, Laurine Warren, Luahna Reidle, June Page, Helen Scott, Darlene Spoonemore; Alden Gilliland, John and Herman Wetegrove, James Duddlesten, Howard Scott, Mack Sharp, Norvin Parr, Norman Johnson, Lorell Cagle, Munroe Bullard, Dick Campbell, Leighton Anderson, Jimmy Lowe, Bob Mungerson, Curtis Bernard, Joe Allen Myers, Carol Frost, and Jeff Rankin.

Other guests were Mrs. Ray Cheney and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thompson.

Games Of Bridge Furnish Diversion For Kil-Kare Club

BROWNSVILLE — At the meeting of the Kil-Kare Klub at the home of Joyce Goforth, a brief business session preceded the games of bridge which furnished entertainment.

At the close of play, prizes went to Thelma Cofer and Frances Barnes.

Attending were Mary Lallier, Anne Schendel, Frances Barnes, Edith McKee, Iva Blanche Dittman, members, Mrs. John Dutro, sponsor, and Thelma Cofer, a guest.

The next session will be held with Mrs. Dutro.

DuBois-Hite DAR Chapter Slates Luncheon Session

BROWNSVILLE — Regular monthly luncheon meeting of the DuBois-Hite chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will be held Saturday at 1 o'clock at El Jardin hotel.

Chapter members should call Mrs. J. P. Williamson for cancellation of reservation, and visiting DAR's, who are cordially invited, are asked to call Mrs. Williamson for reservations.



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Miss Evelyn Howard will be hostess Sunday afternoon at a reception honoring her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Howard of Raymondville on their silver wedding anniversary.

Raymondville Couple Celebrating Anniversary

RAYMONDVILLE—Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Howard are celebrating their Silver Wedding Anniversary on Sunday, May 5. Their friendship began in grade school in Chandler, Oklahoma when little Flossie Yeager (Mrs. Howard) came from Bedford, Kentucky with her parents to make her home in Chandler, and Claude Howard came with his people from Springfield, Missouri to make his home in Chandler, too.

After a friendship that lasted through school the couple were married in Chandler, Okla., in 1915 in the First Christian Church in a pretty afternoon wedding ceremony, by the Reverend J. G. Cansler.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard lived in Lincoln county until 1931 when they came to the Valley and settled in Raymondville.

Miss Evelyn, their only child, who is now head of the Speech Arts department of the Mission schools, is a graduate of Raymondville high school, a student of Mary-Hardin Baylor, a scholarship student in Columbia University and a graduate of the Southern Methodist University in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard are active in the civic and social life of the town and are members of the Christian Church.

House Guest Is Honored In Willacy

RAYMONDVILLE — A charming hospitality for her house guest was the bridge given by Mrs. W. C. Youngblood on Thursday afternoon in her home for Mrs. Te-Wyatt Harris of Dothan, Alabama, who is en route home from Monterrey.

Gladiolias, lilies, iris and roses were arranged in attractive pottery in the various rooms.

Guests to meet Miss Harris were: Mesdames L. C. Brenner, Harry Douthit, R. F. Robinson, Gorman Fox, Al Norman, C. D. Ritter, John Fambrough, Don Hightower, Jack Scott, Herbert Koepke, Kermit Lindahl, E. E. Baden, Hubert Wright, Frederick Humphrey, H. C. Cook, M. C. Yoder, Lud Snow, Lewis Stewart, and R. D. Smith.

First award was presented Mrs. L. C. Brenner, second award to Mrs. Fambrough and third to Miss Harris.

Cooling refreshments completed the afternoon.

Tots Guests At Gay Party

MERCEDES—A group of tiny tots were guests at a birthday party given by Mrs. Frank Barry at her home Tuesday afternoon in honor of her son, Billy Frnak, who celebrated his second birthday.

The floral decorations were in pastel shades. The little folks particularly enjoyed the gold birthday cake decorated with two candles, which was served late in the afternoon. The favors were morns and balloons.

Attending the party were Ralph Lawler, Barbara Rabalais, Marilyn and David Reynard, John David Barry, Bob Frix, Buster Lewis, Billy Wright, Mary Ann DeCell, Harry Harris, Keith Ewing, Bryson Whitlock and Jesse Reynolds.

Theatre Party Set In City Of Palms

McALLEN—The Sigma Lambda Phi sorority will stage an informal theatre party Monday night when the girls will attend the show at a local theatre.

Plans for the event and the annual election of officers May 14 were discussed at a meeting this week with Miss Earlene Kiefers as hostess at her home on Glasscock Road.

Miss Altha Meek will be hostess for the election of officers meeting.

At the meeting this week Mrs. Dayton Thomas was pledged as a member and pledge court held for Miss Wilma Beth Schuelke and Miss Jane Kelley.

Refreshments were served in conclusion.

Winter Guests Go

LOS FRESNOS—Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Richey who have been wintering in Los Fresnos left Wednesday for their summer home at Newyago on Lake Michigan. Enroute they expect to visit with their children at Austin, Iola, Kansas and Chicago.

Los Fresnos Guests

LOS FRESNOS — Mrs. Martha Moses has as her guests her daughters Mrs. Adam Schaffer and son, Billy Earl, of Van Buren, Arkansas and Mrs. Clarence Casey and daughter, Joyce Marie of Blythe, Calif.

Miss Dabney Is Honoree For Coffee

Pretty Event Given Saturday Morning

HARLINGEN—One of the prettiest prenuptial affairs of the season in Harlingen was the morning coffee and shower given Saturday from 10:30 to 11:30 a. m. to honor Miss Charlotte Dabney. Hostesses were Mrs. Jack Busa and Miss Sarah McKelvey at the former's home, 502 W. Buchanan.

Spring blooms in pastel shades were arranged with delightful effect about the guest rooms.

An unusual centerpiece developed with white gladiolas caught on coco reeds drew interest to the breakfast table which was laid with white organdy. Serving at opposite table ends were Miss Louise Hill and Miss Jane Davis.

Others in the house party were Mrs. Clinton Beck and Mrs. Bill Castleberry, San Benito.

The lovely shower gifts, displayed on small tables, were viewed by the guests, including a number of friends from out of town.

Miss Dabney's marriage to Malcolm Saulsbury will take place May 19. A number of attractive parties in her honor are preceding the wedding.

Attendants Are Revealed

McALLEN — Eminent among affairs for the coming week is the marriage of Miss Gretchen Campbell of McAllen and Vernon Woods of Brownsville for which the young bride-elect announced her attendants Saturday.

The wedding will be solemnized by Rev. M. D. Council of Brownsville, presiding elder of the First Methodist Church, in the expansive garden of the home of the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Campbell, Saturday, May 11, at 7 p.m.

Mrs. Minor Parker of Corpus Christi, the former Miss Marian Jones, a bride of recent date, will be the matron of honor while her husband will serve as best man. Mrs. Faye Jones will play the nuptial music and Mrs. J. D. Lauck of Pharr will sing several solos. The bride will be given in marriage by her father.

Following the ceremony a reception will be held in the gardens. Invitations were posted last week.

Housewarming Hono Mr., Mrs. Wilson

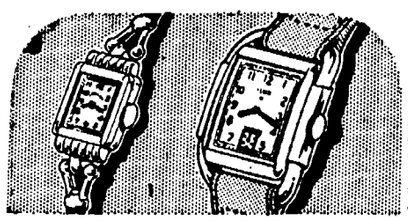
HARLINGEN — A few close friends surprised Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Wilson with a house warming Thursday evening. The couple recently purchased the A. J. Hill home on the Combes highway.

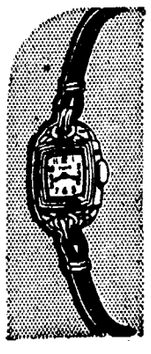
Games of forty-two and Chinese checkers were enjoyed and punch and cookies were served.

Present were Messrs. and Mesdames M. A. Cowart, W. E. Carey, A. J. Wilson, Janice, Filbert Engelbrecht and children, C. H. and Mary Lou, and Millard Jones, Rose Hart, Neariol Wilson, and the honor guests.

From Houston

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. Richard Burns and her son, Richard Waller, arrived Friday morning from Houston for a short visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Burns.


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Calendar

McALLEN

SUNDAY

3:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.—Members of the Lower Rio Grande Valley Art League will be hostesses for a reception to honor Pierre Tartoue, portrait painter, and to exhibit five of his canvasses.

MONDAY

Reservations close for the City Federation of Women's Club breakfast.

3:00 p.m.—Mrs. W. L. Sills will entertain the G Women's Literary Club.

3:00 p.m.—Members of the McAllen Music Club will entertain with a personal guest day at the home of Mrs. R. D. Cox.

8:00 p.m.—A girl scout court of awards will be held at the Lincoln school auditorium.

8:00 p.m.—The Order of the Eastern Star will meet at the Masonic Temple.

TUESDAY

9:00 a.m.—The City Federation of Women's Clubs will hold an open meeting at breakfast at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

2:30 p.m.—Mrs. Ferrell will entertain the Current Events Club at her home.

2:30 p.m.—Officers will be installed at a meeting of the Lincoln School Parent-Teachers Association.

7:30 p.m.—Members of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church will sponsor a "Mother-Daughter" banquet at the church. The public is invited to attend.

8:00 p.m.—The annual meeting of the McAllen Business and Professional Women's Club will be held at the McAllen Chamber of Commerce building.

8:00 p.m.—Members of the Beta Sigma Phi sorority will meet with Mrs. Jack Doherty.

WEDNESDAY

2:30 p.m.—The Sunday Border Bridge Club will meet with Mrs. W. D. Baden.

3:00 p.r .—Officers will be installed at a meeting of the McAllen Study Club at the home of Mrs. A. F. Vannoy.

8:00 p.m.—The Gamma chapter of the Nu Phi Mu sorority will meet with Miss Jane McFather, sponsor.

THURSDAY

The Edna E. Leslie Bible Class of of First Methodist Church will meet.

12:15 p.m.—The Republican Women's Club will meet for luncheon at the Casa de Palmas Hotel. Reservations may be made by telephoning the hotel.

FRIDAY

3:00 p.m.—Mrs. Clay Zachry will be hostess to the Priscilla club.

SATURDAY

Junior Service League members scheduled to work at the community house include: Mesdames Charles Herndon, R. F. Millar, Joe LeBow, O. Terry and L. H. Moore.

3:00 p.m.—Mrs. H. J Houser will be hostess to the Chapter F, P.E.O. at her home.

ATTEND MEETING

LOS FRESNOS—Mrs. Grover C. Page, Mrs. E. E. Hollon and Miss Ethel Gammon attended a census enumerators meeting in Harlingen Wednesday.

Elaborate May Fete Is Planned

EDCOUCH—Supt. Joe H. Wilson and the faculty of the Edcouch-Elsa schools are holding daily rehearsals for the May Fete which will be staged at the high school campus under lights on Wednesday, May 8th at 7:30 p. b. This program will be opened with a 30 minute band concert. This will be followed by the coronation.

Rosemary Adkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Adkins will be crowned as queen while Gordon Smith Jr. will reign as king. Heralds are La Viar Dyal and Albert Thompson. Flower girls are Phyllis Galloway, Jeannete Pickens, Joy McKin and Wanda Ruth Holt. Gene Martin Jr., will be crown bearer and Don Graham Jr. will be ring bearer.

Following the coronation, greetings to May Time will be given by Ben Bearden Jr. A group of children will give the flower chorus and still another group will present the Robin chorus.

The May Pole dance will be given by Bobbie Jo Bingham, Dora Jean Gafner, Ruth George, Doris Jackson, Patricia McDaniel, Patsy Ruth McDaniel, Rose Mary Vaught, Myrlene Wade, Gary Clark, Douglas Doudy, Julian Hill, Dale Hughes, Carl Poignes Jr. Jack Stokes, Seth Kennedy and Gary Martin

Vida Pickens will present a solo dance. A group of girls will give a Flower Chorus.

The last number will be a play "The Quest of the Pink Parasol," a musical operetta with the following characters: Fairy Queen, Patsy Martin, Little Girl, Loretta Shields, Poppies, Patty Jean Doshier, Jerry Thompson, Dixie Lee Peacock, Evelyn Barker, Gretchen Graham, Pauline Brown, Beryl Culpepper, Agnes Pealor, Betty McDaniel, Sammy Jo Johnson, Bartie Lee Williams, Delores Roser, Anabel Hughes, Paul Anna Jones, and the gardener, Sam Lester Johnson. Piandist for the operetta will be Misses Julia Hill and Siama Rissanen.

Patrons Day Set For P.-T.A. Group

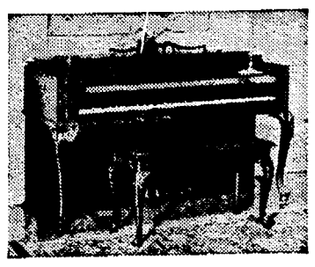
BROWNSVILLE — Patrons Day will be held by the Victoria Heights school Friday afternoon and the Parent-Teacher Association will meet at 2:30 at the school. Installation of new officers will be held.

All friends and patrons of the school are issued a cordial invitation to attend, and all PTA members are asked to note the change in meeting day from Thursday to Friday.

Arrive From Kansas

DONNA — Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whitewood of Harper, Texas, and Mrs. Dew Yeary and infant son of Kingsville who have been the guests during the past week of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Maurice Bell, left Thursday for their homes. They came to the Valley primarily to bring home their grand daughter, Maurine, who had been visiting them.

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The interesting mother and son study presents Mrs. Glen K. Schuepbach and her son, Glen Richard. Mrs. Schuepbach is concluding her year as president of the Child Study Club of Harlingen. (Teege Photo)

Hughes Home Scene For Pleasing Event For Club Members

ELSA — Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hughes entertained with three tables of bridge at Hu-Haven Wednesday evening. The home was attractively decorated with spring flowers.

High score for the evening was made by Mrs. Joe Wilson.

After the games the hostess served a sweet course to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Weems of Weslaco, Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Dickinson, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cramer, Mr. and Mrs Joe H Wilson, Mrs. J. P. DeWald, and Wm. Hughes.

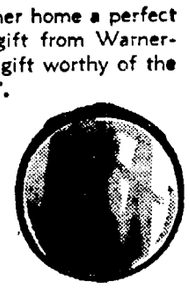
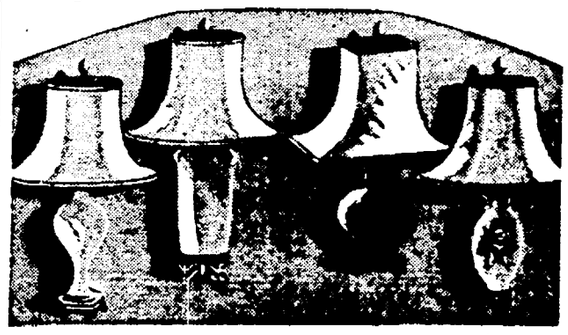
New Meeting Place Announced For Club

MISSION—Attention of members of the Mission Garden Club was directed this week to the change in the meeting place for the meeting next Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Alton Bentsen will be hostess for the meeting, instead of Mrs. W. A. Wolverton, as previously announced. Mrs. H. H. Ewing, program leader, will discuss the care of trees and plants through the summer months.

TO KINGSVILLE

LOS FRESNOS—E. D. Kraner, superintendent of the Los Fresnos schools, made a business trip to Kingsville on Tuesday.

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Sorority Pledges Installed At Banquet



Newly installed pledges for Alpha Theta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi are presented in the picture above made at the Founders Day dinner held by the sorority Tuesday evening at the Madison Hotel. In the group are Miss Louise Hale, Miss Beth Gregory, Miss Irene Peek, Mrs. Clinton Beck, Miss Laura Shaw, and Miss Dora Lamon. (Photo by Holbrook)

Family Topic For Address For P.-T. A.

RAYMONDVILLE — Fathers as well as mothers and teachers met in the school auditorium Wednesday evening for the final meeting of the Raymondville Parent-Teacher Association to hear Supt. Ernest Poteet, of Mercedes spoke on "What is the Trend of the American Family Today?"

From a national survey the speaker made these findings: (1). a decrease in the size of the family, (2). a trend toward complications of home life; (3). to get away from autocratic parental control; (4). toward the appearing of children late in the lives of the parents; (5). toward distinct change in home entertainment; (6). change in diseases of family. A partial solution of the problems thought Mr. Poteet was in parent education and helping the youth to understand problems that develop during married life.

The Home Economics freshman class, under the instruction of Miss Theo Smith, presented a style revue of the frocks each member had made. A background of music was given by Miss Helen Scott.

In recognition of National Music Week, W. E. Arnold and his family consisting of five members: Della Sue, age four with a drum, Jack, 9, cornet; Betty, 12, saxophone, Mrs. Arnold, the clarinet and Mr. Arnold the mellophone gave a family concert. They were accompanied by Helen Scott at the piano.

Clifton Holt played a clarinet solo. Room prize went to Leighton Smith, Room 8A.

In an impressive candle lighting service the new officers were installed by Mrs. M. C. Yeargen. They are: Mrs. R. A. Thompson, president; Mrs. Gerald Sensabaugh, vice-president; Miss Marjorie Finlay, secretary and Mrs. I. B. Loe, treasurer.

Mrs. C. W. Pierce announced the Summer Round-Up for May 15th.

Announcement Is Made Of Coming Rites Set For May 24 In McAllen

McALLEN—The name of another May bride was added to the spring list this week when Mrs. H. D. Horger announced the engagement and approaching marriage of her only daughter, Marilyn, at a luncheon Thursday for a number of the new bride-elect's closest friends.

Her marriage to N. L. Bormann, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Bormann of McAllen, will be solemnized May 24 at the First Christian Church.

Following the May day trend to May poles the engagement and marriage were announced at the luncheon table. A May pole, banked with queen Anne's lace and Easter lilies, centered the table. From it pink streamers extended to each guest's place and connected with a tiny basket. Tucked in here a little scroll, printed in silver, disclosed the news.

Elsewhere in the house the same flowers were used as decorations.

Guests were Misses Gloria Merts, Elsie Steinman, Maris Lawson, Judy Lassiter, Eloise Cummings, Ruth Schlensig, Mrs. Jack Johnson, Mrs. William Owens, Mrs. A. B. Barnett, Mrs. Harry Merts, Mrs. H. H. Rothe and Mrs. Bormann.

The new bried-to-be and groom-elect are members of prominent McAllen families. Miss Horger was graduated from the McAllen Senior High School in the class of 1939. The groom-elect graduated from the Pharr-San Juan-Alamo high school and attended Southwestern State Teachers College at San Marcos. At present he is associated with his father in business.

The young couple will make their home in McAllen.

Are League Will Fete Painter

McALLEN — Marking the first time Pierre Tartoue, French born portrait painter, has exhibited any of his work in McAllen members of the Lower Rio Grande Valley Art League will honor him at a reception this afternoon from three until five o'clock at the Spanish Room of the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

The artist will be presented to the visitors by officers of the League. Art lovers are invited to attend.

Artist Tartoue will show his canvasses of Governor Bill Murray of Oklahoma; Mrs. Elmer Bentsen, Miss Betty Bentsen who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bentsen and Mr. and Mrs. Pollitte Elvins of Pharr.

All members of the Art League will assist as hostesses.

The portrait painter with his wife have spent the winter in the Upper Valley. They plan to leave within a short time for the north and are tentatively planning to establish a studio in McAllen next winter.

The artist was born in Nantes, France, but has made his home in has painted scores of notable personages in the east, middlewest and west.

Los Fresnos Flower Show Is Successful!

LOS FRESNOS—Members of the Los Fresnos Garden Club sponsored a flower show at the Le May building on Wednesday afternoon. Special out-of town guests were Mrs. A. C. Uhl of Port Isabel, and Mrs. C. W. Sullivan and Mrs. J. A. Gustafson of San Benito. Judges for the show were Mrs. R. B. McLealsh and Mrs. H. J. Leach of Bayview.

Ribbons were presented as follows: gladiolas, Mrs. S. S. Sappenfield, first; red nasturtium, Mrs. S. E. Barr, first; nasturtium, Mrs. S. E. Barr, first; mixed, Mrs. Smith Henderson, second. Zinnia arrangement, Mrs. S. S. Sappenfield, first, Mrs. S. E. Barr, second; sweet peas, Mrs. Harold Pugh, Jr., first; corn flowers, Mrs. S. S. Sappenfield, first, Mrs. S. E. Barr, second, third; carnation, Mrs. S. E. Barr, first; iris, Mrs. Smith Henderson, first; Easter lilies, Mrs. Harold Pugh, Jr., first and second in specimen and arrangement; snapdragon, Mrs. S. E. Barr first and second in specimen and arrangement; double petunia arrangement, Mrs. William Andersen, first.

Summer chrysanthemums, specimen and arrangement, Bobby Barr, first; mixed flower arrangement, Mrs. Harold Pugh, Jr., first, Mrs. Frank Williams, second; oleander shrubs, Mrs. Smith Henderson, first; durante shrubs, Mrs. Harold Pugh, Jr., second; lantana pink, Mrs. S. S. Sappenfield, third; magnolia trees, Mrs. Williams, first; wild flower arrangement, Mrs. Harold Pugh, Jr., first; Mrs. S. S. Sappenfield, second; minature arrangement, Mrs. Harold Pugh, Jr., first; Mrs. S. E. Barr, second; Mrs. S. S. Sappenfield, third; rose specimen, red, yellow, and pink, Mrs. S. S. Sappenfield, first; rose specimens, red, Mrs. S. E. Barr, first; pink rose specimens, Mrs. S. S. Sappenfield, first, second, third; rose specimen five, Mrs. Harold Pugh, Jr., first; red rose arrangement, Mrs. S. E. Barr, first, Mrs. William Andresen, second, Mrs. S. S. Sappenfield, third; pink rose arrangement, Mrs. S. S. Sappenfield, first, Mrs. Harold Pugh, Jr., second. Mrs. William Andresen, third; potted plants, Mrs. Smith Henderson, first, second and third; scarlet phlox, Mrs. Clarence Pederson, first; red verbana, Mrs. P. C. Pederson, first.

Graduates Present Assembly Program

LOS FRESNOS—Members of the graduating class of 1940 presented the final assembly program of the school year on Wednesday morning. Features of the entertainment were the class history written by Juanita Brooks; the prophecy, by Barbara Jean Goates; class will by Dottie Henry; class poem by Bobby McLealsh. The program was concluded by singing the school song with Miss Phail-Dean Copeland, class sponsor, at the piano.

VISITING PARENTS

RIO GRANDE CITY—Mr. and Mrs. Ross Bassinger and twins, Grey and Greta, of Houston arrived Tuesday to be the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alberto Gutierrez, until Sunday.

New Officers Installed By Pan-American Table; Uraguay's History Told

BROWNSVILLE—Before a large gathering of members and guests the Pan-American Round Table held the annual installation of officers at the monthly luncheon meeting at El Jardin Hotel Friday. The table centerpiece represented one of the many plazas of Montevideo, capital of Uruguay, the city of roses, and featured a lake surrounded by lovely roses of many colors.

After the introduction of guests, a new active member, Mrs. Neil Allen, who represents Honduras, was introduced. Mrs. R. D. Sundell, retiring director, called attention to a seven-branched candlabrum holding one tall and six short candles in the Pan-American colors, white, purple and gold, and introduced Mrs. Henry Krausse, who, in the absence of Mrs. W. W. Dees, state director, installed the new officers. As each was called, she was presented with a corsage and lighted a candle.

Newly elected officers are Mrs. Ben Freudenstein, director, and Mrs. Kellis G. Buckley, assistant director. Those re-elected are Mrs. J. Grider Perkins, recording secretary; Miss Julia O'Brien, corresponding secretary; Mrs. James L. Rentfro, treasurer; and Miss Florence Bell, historian.

Presents Gavel

Mrs. Krausse mentioned that the choice of the Pan-American officers was a splendid one as she knew each had the interest of the Round Table at heart and would serve loyally and faithfully to further the interests of Pan-Americanism. Mrs. Sundell presented the Round Table with a gavel made of Oregon wood, and turned it over to Mrs. Freudenstein, who used it for the first time at this session.

Mrs. Joe K. Wells was program leader, and gave a most interesting and instructive paper on Uruguay. Most of the material Mrs. Wells presented was from a book, The Thirty-Three Orientales and the Independence of Uruguay by Enrique de Garcia which she read in Spanish and translated. Mrs. Wells gave in detail the historic background of Uruguay, officially the Oriental Republic of Uruguay, and still called the Banda Oriental from the time that Juan Diaz de Solis, voyaging from Spain in 1512 was the first white man to set foot in Uruguay.

Founder Meets Death

He and his companions were driven off by Indians, but returned in 1516, this time to meet his death. Five years later Magellan's fleet landed near the present site of Montevideo and from the pilot's cry, "I see mountains," the city later took its name. Then in 1526 came Sebastian Cabot, who pushed upstream beyond the confluence of the Parana and the Uruguay, and founded the settlements of San Salvador and Sante Spiritus. Uruguay had been born.

From then on for 400 years, Spain and Portugal fought for the rich country of Uruguay, and many exciting events occurred until its independence and its establishment as a republic was declared in 1825.

Mrs. Wells mentioned a legend interesting in connection with stock breeding. At the time of the Spanish conquest there already existed on the plain of Uruguay and the Argentine great herds of autogenous black cattle and great numbers of horses identical with those brought in by the Spanish. In the middle of the 18th century there appeared two terrible plagues to scatter the herds, Indians and wild dogs. The Indian, a type never before seen in coastal regions descended from the mountains and swept across the valleys and plains, and then caused the first conflict between the natives and savages. The wild dogs increased in great numbers, preyed on sheep, and finally appeared at breeding time among the herds. All the inhabitants banded together, beggars, unemployed and soldiers to kill these wild dogs and the fight against them continued many years.

Gaucho A Robber

In the 19th century came the gaucho, a harder enemy to combat. The gaucho, the romantic figure of poem and story, was anything but that. He was an evil vulgarian, a robber of herds, without education, law or religion. The gaucho killed so promiscuously that he all but extinguished the herds of the plains.

Uruguay owes her liberty and independence to a little band of 33 patriots who called themselves the "Cavaliers of Liberty," and who fought against Brazilian troops with triumph. Uruguay has a past very brilliant and intense.

There will be a business meeting of the Table Monday at 9:30 a.m. at the home of Mrs. Freudenstein. All members are urged to attend as there will not be another business meeting until October.

Group Meets In McAllen

McALLEN — Reservations will close Monday afternoon for the annual open meeting and breakfast of the City Federation of Women's Clubs to be held at 9 a. m. Tuesday at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

All who wish to attend are asked to make their reservations at the hotel.

Hostess clubs for the event, which will mark the closing of the federation's current club season, will be members of the McAllen Music and Literary Clubs.

The Music Club trio, composed of Mrs. Thornton Thacker, Mrs. George Fox and Mrs. Ray Losh, will sing several songs in observance of national music week. Mrs. Leverett Leonard and Mrs. Paul Sherwood will present their joint review of "The American Way," recent Broadway legitimate stage hit.

Arrives Soon

BROWNSVILLE—Arriving about the middle of the month for a visit here will be a former Brownsville resident, Clarence Reagan. Mr. Reagan is residing in Goldsboro, North Carolina.

Committees Named For New Year

WESLACO — The Fine Arts club met with Mrs. Otha Cantrell hostess at her home this week.

Mrs. Fred Robertson was the guest speaker, giving an interesting talk on the European situation. Twenty five members enjoyed the social hour, a delicious sandwich plate being served. Gladiolias decorated the living rooms.

During the business Mrs. Neal McNaughten, new president, appointed her committees as follows: Junior Garden club, Mesdames Dick Cotton, Fred Rives, and Gilson Knapp; civic, Mesdames W. A. Dorman, Judson Friday, Norris Richey; membership; Mesdames Martin Davis, I. C. Corns, and Otha Cantrell; courtesy: Mesdames John Wood, K. P. Caskey, and Earl Pike; scrap book; Miss Pearl Youngblood; project committee, Mesdames Bob Hankel, W. A. Dorman, Fred Pepper, publicity; Mrs. W. A. Brunton; reporting delegate: Mrs. Marvin Farley.

Officers assisting Mrs. Neal McNaughten for the year's activities are Mrs. Dorman, Mrs. Gilson Knapp, Mrs. Friday, Mrs. Garza, Mrs. Scott, and Mrs. Kay.

The next meeting, May 7, will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hatchett, Northwest of Harlingen with Mrs. McNaughten hostess. Mr. Hatchett will explain his handicraft of inlaid wood and other woodwork which he will demonstrate.

Mrs. Sid Rankin and Mrs. Clementine Holmes were hostesses to the Southern Star Home Demonstration club Tuesday afternoon at a lovely lawn party at the Rankin home.

Bouquets of spring flowers made a pretty setting to the lawn arrangements. Cotton mattress making was discussed by Mrs. M. D. Stice and Mrs. Shuford.

Eighteen members and guests, Mrs. Leo Norman, Mrs. T. D. McCollon, Mrs. Eugene Vaughn, and Mrs. C. L. Rupert, enjoyed the affair.

Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Jim Puckett and Mrs. M. D. Stice will be hostesses at the I.O.O.F. hall when Miss Miller will give a talk of "Water in and Out."

Circle Meetings Set For Monday By Methodists

BROWNSVILLE—Members of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Methodist church will gather Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in circles.

Circles Two and Three will meet at the church, while Circle One will be entertained by Mrs. L. L. Lloyd. Mrs. G. L. Baker will entertain the Young Matrons, and the Lucy Rae will meet with Mrs. R. A. McKee.

Dramatic Recital, Event Of Friday, Of Much Interest

LOS FRESNOS—Mrs. D. D. Steele, assisted by the school band, presented her dramatic pupils in a group of readings and three one-act comedies on Friday evening, May 3, in the high school auditorium.

Cast in a playlet, "Getting Even With Sister's Beau" were Bobby Kraner, Bobby Casey, Marjorie Hinkley and Edward McLeaish. A second comedy included Edward McLeaish, Ethelyn Williams, Katheryn Patterson, Marjorie Hinkley, Jimmy Hinkley, Grover Greer, Jr., and Jimmie McLealsh.

Cast for the high school play, "Kidnaping Betty," were Bobby McLealsh, Elvin Pederson, Jr., Chalmers Williams, Veta Mae Ferguson, Martha Sue Cook, Billie Bingley, and Betty Lou Steele.

The school band, under direction of Nolan B. Hatcher made its last appearance for the season in several numbers at intervals during the program.

Tot Has Birthday

ALAMO — James Swallow celebrated his fifth birthday on Friday when his mother, Mrs. F. A. Swallow asked his playmates in to share his cake and play games. The guest list included Norma Halvig, Billy Ed Lee, Jackie Como, Loyd Mashaw, Barbara and Spenser Knapp, and Bobbie Cadell.

European Crisis Aired In Discussion

SAN BENITO — A round table discussion, prompted by Miss Nellie Jones' report of Frank Baldwin's address at the Valley Federation meeting, was an interesting feature of the Wednesday meting of the Browne Tract Club held at the home of Mrs. Leslie Carpenter with Mrs. R. E. Baker as assistant hostess.

In the discussion it was brought out that Mr. Baldwin intimated that no race of people in Europe are wholly to blame for the war; that it is the rest of clashing races and creeds and need of room for expansion.

Miss Lu Elsie Nabel, county agent, using a basic sweet yeast dough, showed how several kinds of sweet breads could be quickly and easily made.

All low income farm families, those receiving less than $400 a year, can obtain a 50-pound cotton mattress for the expenditure of 20 cents for thread and the use of needles and card plus assistance in the making of the mattress, Mrs. Baker told fellow club members.

The mattresses are to be made of surplus cotton acquired by the federal government through farm loans. The disposal of the cotton will have the effect of improving market conditions on cotton it is said.

An attractive lunch was served by the hostesses to 18 members and the following guests, Miss Nagel, Mrs. W. A. Cox, Mrs. S. L. Coston, Mrs. Lebert Coston, and Mrs. L. W. Bright Next meeting will be May 15 with Mrs Reed Lang.

Friends Are Invited To Reception Monday

SHARYLAND—An invitation is extended through the press by Mr. and Mrs. F. M. De Sart inviting friends to attend the reception and open house which they are giving Monday afternoon and evening from 3 to 8 o'clock at the Wimodausis Clubhouse, marking the celebration of their golden wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Lauderdale Is New President Mercedes P.-T.A.

MERCEDES — A talk on "Health Education" by Dr. Marion Lawler, installation of the incoming officers and announcement of committee chairmen for 1940-41 featured the South Grammar Parent-Teacher Association meeting Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Martin Hancheck installed the following incoming officers: Mrs. Henry Lauderdale, president; Mrs. L. H. Henry, vice president; Mrs. J. A. Slaughter, secretary; and Committee chairmen named by Mrs. Harold Stuart, treasurer.

the new president, Mrs. Lauderdale, were: Membership, Mrs. Fred Bernard; Publicity, Mrs. Walden Haynes; Hospitality, Mrs. F. Goodson; Finance, Mrs. Tom y Ewing; Health, ohn Herndon; Music, Miss Allamae Mrs. Clive Archer; Literature, Mrs. Hudson; Radio, Mrs. Tommye Sterr; Room Representatives, Mrs. Arnold Dryer; Parent Education, Mrs. Carl A. Blasig.

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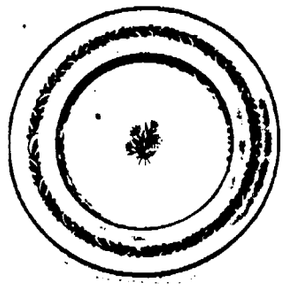
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Mr. and Mrs. Welborn Dunlap of Corpus Christi announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Rowena, to Richard Thomas Thompson of Edinburg, son of Mrs. S. M. Thompson of Butler, Mo. The wedding will take place June 1. The bride-elect is a graduate of Texas A and I. College, Kingsville and a former Lantana Queen. She also attended the University of Colorado at Boulder. For the past three years she has been art instructor in Edinburg schools. Mr. Thompson, who attended Missouri University, is with the U. S. Department of Agriculture at Edinburg. (Photo Courtesy Corpus Christi Caller-Times)

Breakfast Meeting Ends Club Activity For Year

LA FERIA — Breakfast, annual reports, and farewells featured the meeting of the Twentieth Century Club Thursday morning at the home of Mrs. John H. Mitchell. Hostess with Mrs. Mitchell for the affair were the social committee comprised of Mrs. E. F. Brower, Mrs. O. C. Trotman, and Mrs. Ross Jones.

A business period followed the delicious breakfast with Mrs. Leon Hargrove, president, presiding.

Mrs. J. B. Smith, program chairman, introduced Mrs. John Sanders, who gave a number of poems from the book "Yamparika," by Mrs. Adele Hart Brown of Mission. Mrs. Sanders was awarded the book as a prize for giving the best report without manuscript at the recent federation meeting in San Benito. The book of poems was given by Mrs. Leon Grown of Mission, daughter-in-law, of the author.

Mrs. Smith gave an interesting description of Grand Canyon of Colorado and Carlsbad Cavern in New Mexico. "The Great Southwest" was the main topic for the program.

Mrs. M. E. Mitchell gave a report of the federation meeting.

During the business period it was voted to give $10 to the high school library. Annual reports of officers were made.

Mrs. C. H. Ritter presented to Mrs. Hargrove a lovely set of Fostoria glassware, a gift from the executive board.

Mrs. H. W. Voiers, incoming president, held a brief meeting and announced her new committee chairmen. Serving with Mrs. Voiers as officers will be Mrs. E. C. Wallace, first vice president; Mrs. Charles Harpin, second vice president; Mrs. Josh Sanders, secretary; Mrs. Leonard Hargrove, treasurer, and Miss Margaret Oliver, publicity.

Named to committees are: Social, Mesdames M. E. Mitchell, H. T. Anderson, and Wemple Sanders; music, J. B. Smith; art, Leon Hargrove; civic, O. C. Trotman; visiting, John H. Mitchell.

The breakfast menu was served at quartet tables centered by spring blossoms and quantities of blooms were placed about the home.

Committees Announced In Mission

MISSION—Miss Alice Frad, newly-elected president of the Mission Branch of the American Association of University Women, this week announced the appointment of standing committees chairmen to serve during the two-year term to which officers were elected Monday. A meeting of the new executive board, composed of officers and chairmen of standing committees, is scheduled for Thursday, May 9, at the home of the past president, Mrs. Don Murphy.

Committees who will direct activities of the organization for the next two years, and their respective chairmen are: fellowship, Mrs. Paul C. Avery, Mrs. Freddie M. Saunders; education, Mrs. S. M. Patterson; legislation, Mrs. Clyde C. Tolen; social studies, Mrs. Bolton Hyde; international relations, Mrs Delinda Roark; economic and legal status of Women, Miss Louise Lane; membership and publicity, Mrs. W. R. Blalock; social welfare, Mrs. Don Murphy; librarian, Miss Mildred Nelson; hospitality, Miss Edna Gibbard.

Vocational guidance was made into an active committee with three members participating, Miss Jessie Norton, Miss Mildred Nelson, and Mrs. H. S. Edwards.

Mrs. Bob White Hostess For Bridge

McALLEN—Four guests were entertained Thursday at the regular bridge club luncheon at the Casa de Palmas Hotel when Mrs. Bob White was hostess.

Guests included Mrs. D. F. Baltis, Mrs. E. A. McDaniel, Mrs. Larry Savage of Massachusetts and Mrs. Meida Sharp of Mission.

The club meets every Thursday for luncheon and an afternoon of bridge.

Calendar

ALAMO CALENDAR

MONDAY

8:00—Eastern Star.

TUESDAY

2:30—Garden Club.

3:00—Womens Missionary Society.

WEDNESDAY

1:00—Circle two has luncheon at home of Mrs. Connie Stensbo.

2:30—Circle three meets with Mrs. Perry Gross.

2:30—South Morningside Home Demonstration Club

Thursday

2:30—Mrs. W. D. Whalen will be hostess to the ...rosis Tea honoring new officers.

FRIDAY

12:30—Proximo Sunday School Class Party.

Luncheon Slated By UDC's

June 6 Date For Open Meeting

BROWNSVILLE — An interesting business session in which plans for a luncheon and open meeting were made, and a program led by Mrs. Harbert Davenport, were features of the Thursday morning gathering of the Magruder-Ford chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

Mrs. Fanny D. Putegnat was hostess at her home when Mrs. Davenport, Mrs. C. W. Colgin, and Mrs. Phil W. Samuel were named as a committee of arrangements for the luncheon and open meeting June 6.

Mrs. Putegnat, Mrs. Joe K. Wells, and Mrs. Davenport were appointed as a committee to take charge of the granite marker on the Boca Chica road from which the bronze plaque has been stolen by vandals. The committee will arrange to have an appropriate inscription cut out into the granite, and have the marker placed in Bayview on the site of Rip Ford's encampment during the Civil War.

It was reported that flowers had been sent to three members and relatives of members who were ill; and Mrs. Wells reported that the Jefferson Davis marker at Palm Boulevard and Elizabeth street had been decorated on Memorial Day.

Mrs. Davenport's topic was New Orleans. She told the story of the city as recounted in an article in Holland's magazine of 1936 which was written by T. P. Richardson, a former Valleyite. She read excepts describing the battle of New Orleans in 1812 as taken from the book, Border Captain, a story of Stonewall Jackson, by Marquis James. The taking of New Orleans by the Union Army in 1862 was described also, with these facts gleaned from the reports of Major General Matt Seale Lovell, in command of the Confederates.

Music Noted In Program

PRIMERA — Recognition was splendidly given to the approach of Music week in the program presented Thursday at the meeting of the Primera Home Demonstration club. Mrs. Jennings Young was cohostess. Members answered roll call by naming a favorite in music.

Report of the Valley Federation meet in San Benito was given by Mrs. J. P. Peel: and Mrs. Wilmuth gave the council report.

Feature of the afternoon was an informative paper "Value of Music in Our Lives" by Mrs. A. J. Fett. Stating that the beginning of music as an art is obscured by time, Mrs. Fett declared that in ancient Egypt music was held to be a sacred art, practised only in the temples and jealously guarded by the priests. She showed the forms of expression in various civilizations and concluded her discussion with the opinion that nothing can exercise a better influence than good music.

Mrs. E. E. Stone gave the story of "The Woman Who Sang." During the 10-minute recreation period, singing was enjoyed.

Later refreshments were served on the shaded lawn to 22 members and one guest.

McAllenite Initiated Into Phi Beta Kappa

McALLEN—Mrs. Preston Ford of McAllen returned this week from Austin where she attended initiation ceremonies for the University of Texas chapter of Phi Beta Kappa, national honor society.

Mrs. Ford recently was elected to membership in the organization. Initiation was held at a banquet at Austin May 1 when Dr. Homer P. Rainey, university president, who became an honorary member of the group, made the initiation address.

Attend Conference

MISSION—Mission and Sharyland girls who are at the YWCA camp in Rio Hondo this weekend to attend the spring conference of Valley Girl Reserves included:

From Mission—Marian Bergquist, Lorraine Vollmer, Mary Alice Conway, Doris Pearson, Mary Sue Harrell, Javonne Jewett, Hattie Jean Sturgeon, Jean Wallace, Margaret Holley, Dorothy Balthrope and the sponsor, Mrs. Phil Shrader.

From Sharyland—Mary Frances Brashear, Gloria Jean Wingert, Virginia Moore, Martha Rumbel, Lois Gully and the sponsor, Miss Louise Lane.

Mr., Mrs. Burns Hosts At Dinner To Small Group

BROWNSVILLE — Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Burns entertained very delightfully at ...inner at Landrum's in the patio Wednesday evening. Their guests were a small group of friends.

Salmon colored gladioli in a huge blue vase was used in the center of the patio, while elsewhere were bowls of roses.

McAllen Junior Service League Elects Officers

McALLEN—Mrs. J. K. Boettger, popular young McAllen matron, was elected president of the Junior Service League of McAllen at their regular meeting Thursday at the Casa de Palmas Hotel.

Mrs. Boettger succeeds Mrs. Joe Le Bow during whose administration of the young civic club both the Community House for underprivileged girls and the McAllen Child's Clinic, health center for indigent children, were instituted and put into active service.

Other newly elected officers are Mrs. J. M. Daniels, vice president; Mrs. E. B. Zey, recording secretary; Mrs. P. D. Moore, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Jack Nelson, treasurer.

Outgoing officers other than Mrs. LeBow are Mrs. O. Terry, vice president; Mrs. Boettger, recording secretary; Mrs. Harry Pederson, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. R. F. Miller, treasurer.

Officers will be installed at the annual luncheon ta the Casa de Palmas Hotel May 16 at which time new members will be admitted.

Invitations to several young McAllen matrons to join the league were issued recently.

According to present plans the league will continue to operate the community house and the clinic during the summer, members said.

Picnic Party Celebrates Birthday

MISSION—Mrs. J. D. Dukes entertained Wednesday with a birthday party for Nina Merle Dukes with a picnic supper and swim at Crystal Waters Pool.

Guests were Barbara and Betty Ann McDougle, Myra Jo Hollerbaugh, Arlene Veach, Grace Nora and Leroy Graham, Marjorie Hill, Mrs. Wanda Rice, Mrs. Vernon Wilkenning, all of Mission, and Greta Joyce Noble of McAllen.

Jerry Holder's twelfth birthday was celebrated Thursday night with a "hobo" party given by his mother, Mrs. G. D. Holder.

In the party were Dan and Vernon, Richard Sharp, Mack Summers, Tommy West, Bobby Conine, Koss Moss, Jack Pritchard, and Kent Holder, Mission, Leonard Dahlberg, McAllen, and the honoree.

A gracious gesture was extended Miss Lorraine Vollmer Thursday afternoon when she was complimented with a personal shower as fellow members of the Mission Girl Reserves and other close friends formed the personnel of about 60. The home of the honoree and her parents was destroyed by fire early this week.

McAllen Group Plans Banquet For Tuesday

McALLEN — In observance of Mother's Day members of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church will sponsor a "Mother-Daughter" banquet at the church Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

The affair will mark the first observance of what the women hope to make an annual custom. All mothers are asked to attend the banquet for which a fitting and entertaining program is being arranged.

To attend all that is required is that an older woman be accompanied by a young lady, whether her daughter or not, members said.

Mrs. L. M. McGuyre is serving as banquet chairman with Mrs. Harold Brehm in charge of the program and Mrs. G. C. Ehlinger, ticket sales. Tickets may be procured from any member of the circles.

Election Scheduled For B.P.W. Club

McALLEN—New officers of the McAllen Business and Professional Women's Club will be elected Tuesday when the club holds its annual business meeting at the McAllen Chamber of Commerce building at 8 p.m.

Outgoing officers are Mrs. Edith Klink, president; Mrs. Rosemary McNallie, vice president; Mrs. Bess Richmond, recording secretary; Miss Angie Stroud, corresponding secretary and Miss Eva Grace Smith, treasurer.

Mrs. B. C. King Is Bridge Hostess

RIO GRANDE CITY—Las Palmas Bridge Club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. B. C. King. Mrs. F. G. Chatfield was an out of club guest. Members present included Mrs. John A. Pope, Jr., Mrs. Howard L. Staggs, winners of high scores, and Mrs. A. R. Baker, Mrs. W. W. Shuford, Mrs. Wm. Keach and Mrs. J. O. Moss.

At the close of the meeting, the hostess served a dessert course.

Piano Recital Given By Group Students

LOS FRESNOS—Piano students of Mrs. Grace Caldwell were presented in a recital in the high school auditorium on Tuesday evening.

Six first year pupils, two second year pupils and four third and fourth year pupils participated. A special number, a clarinet solo, "Simplicity," was played by Alfred Hanson with Mrs. G. C. Parrish as accompanist.

Included on the program were "Evening Bells" and "Silent Night" by Fernando Vasquez; "Coming Round the Mountain," Richard Laakso; "Frog Frolics" and "Dream of a Waltz," Derral Beauford; "Dress Parade," Bobby Kraner; "You and I Waltz," Charles Laakso; "Dolly's Birthday," Lena Curry; "Lazy Mary," Winona Ann Beauford; "Dreamy Waltz," Helen June Grabowski; "Beautiful Blue Danube," Marilois Barr; duet, "Black Hawk Waltz," Barbara Jean Goates and Ruby Jean Pederson; "Norwegian Cradle Song," Betty Lou Steele; duet, "Over the Waves," Betty Lou Steele and Ruby Jean Pederson; "Aida," Barbara Jean Goates.

Mrs. Zimmerman Is Bridge Hostess

RIO GRANDE CITY—Mrs. W. W. Zimmerman entertained the Wednesday Bridge Club at her home this week. Guests present were Mrs. G. I. McWhorter, Mrs. G. R. Brazil, and Mrs. H. J. Fisher, and the members playing were Mesdames B. C. Arthur, Paul A. Shelton, J. H. Collins, Holland M. Wood, and H. H. Slack. High scores were won by Mrs. McWohrter and Mrs. Arthur.

A salad course was served at the conclusion of the games.

Mrs. Pipkin Speaks For Junior Club

Etiquette Topic For Program

BROWNSVILLE — Etiquette was the interesting topic of the program at the Thursday afternoon meeting of the Junior Self-Culture club in the garden of Mrs. Jack Mace's home when Mrs. Maurice Pipkin was program leader.

Mrs. Pipkin gave the history of etiquette, stating that rules of conduct go back to the earliest civilization when savages had to devise some means of showing other tribes that they cared to live with them peaceably.

She stated that the salutation or greeting of today is the direct result of these early observances, and that the history of manners keeps pace with the history of the evolution of man, as a foundation on which all civilization is built.

The use of the knife and fork, she said, came into being after the reign of Queen Elizabeth. After several awkward attempts, the court adopted the methods of use current today. In the reign of the French Louis's, she said, the courtiers bowed and kissed the hands of ladies, and as a result of these customs, precedent is still given to women. Ease in manners, the speaker said, is the real mark of good breeding. Mrs. Pipkin ended her interesting discussion with a short verse on the wisdom of following native custom.

Seventeen members, and one guest, Mrs. Fred Pilgrim, attended the session. Mrs. Charles Mathers and Mrs. Frank Mathers gave reports on the session of the Valley Federation of Women's clubs in San Benito.

The next meeting will be the annual May breakfast, to be held May 18 at Landrum's at 9:30 a. m. At this new officers will be installed.

Farewell Courtesy Honors 2 Members Sharyland Union Aid

SHARYLAND—Two members of the Sharyland Union Aid, who are leaving soon were complimented with handkerchief showers Wednesday afternoon when Mrs. F. M. De Sart entertained the organization at the Wimodausis Clubhouse. Mrs. A. L. Potter, who will leave soon for Brookings, S. D., to make her home and Mrs. R. S. Robinson who will spend the summer visiting several points in Iowa were named as honorees.

Preceding the presentation of gifts, a brief business meeting was held with new officers in charge for the first time, and a musical program was presented.

Mrs. A. C. Trapp is the new president. Other officers were Mrs. Otto Jensen, vice president; Mrs. R. M. Sargent, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. Ben Ash, assistant secretary-treasurer.

Starlight Novel Theme For Banquet Honoring La Feria Graduates

LA FERIA—The junior class of the La Feria high school honored the 1940 seniors with their annual banquet Thursday night in the high school cafeteria. The setting reflected the theme of the heavenly stars in keeping with a "Starlight Banquet." Streamers of blue and silver depended from the ceiling.

The table, U-shaped, was laid with a blue cloth over silver. Mint cups were tiny wagons hitched to silver stars which were placecards. Background for the room was blue dotted with silver stars, while a large full moon peeped through greenery screening the stage.

About 100 guests attended.

Theme for the program was, "The night has a thousand eyes, the day but one." Program numbers included:

"Starlight greetings," J. T. Cain, president of the junior class and toastmaster for the evening; "The Stars Reply," response by David Vigness, senior president; "The Evening Star," musical reading by Miss Elsie Thompson, accompanied by Mrs. Magnus Bolander; "Senior Stars," toast to seniors, Frances Evelyn Hennessee; "The Starlight Hour," vocal solo by Nell Sanders accompanied by Viola Yarbrough.

"Deep Purple," clarinet quintet, Margaret Ezekiel, Viola Yarbrough, Arlene Landis, Winnie Van Zandt, Willodean Walk, accompanied by Nell Sanders.

"Star Dust," vocal solo, Mildred Tuma, accompanied by Frances E. Hennessee; "Steering by the Stars," address by Supt. J. B. Smith; group singing, "The End of a Starlight Night."

Guests in addition to members of the two classes were Superintendent and Mrs. J. B. Smith, Coach C. E. Vail, Mrs. Vail, Miss Willie Fossleman, senior class sponsor; Miss Lila Dyer, junior sponsor; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tavver, Miss Doris Griffin, Mrs. Raymond Till, Magnus Bolander, A. C. Webb, and Miss Margaret Dupree.

College Set Has Annual Dinner Dance

McALLEN — Beneath a starry sky in the beautiful Palm Patio of the Casa de Palmas Hotel the freshman class of Edinburg Junior College played host to the sophomores at the annual dinner dance here Friday night.

Two hundred fourteen persons, including class sponsors, made the event the largest in the history of such functions.

Red and blue, college colors, were carried out in tasteful decorations and favors.

Charles Settles of Mercedes, freshman president, welcomed the guests and Johnny Phillips of Pharr sophomore president, made the response. A delicious chicken dinner was enjoyed.

Tony Valdez' orchestra, featuring Anne Lee Peterson as vocalist furnished music for the dance, which was a program affair.

Given most credit for making the fete a gay success was Marian Davis, chairman of the committee for the event. Assisting her were Doris Red, Stub Davis, Lorraine Steffens, Charles Settles, Stanley Sloan, Albert Schlemmer, Jeane Baker, and Jane Carey Fristoe.

Freshman class sponsors are Dr. F. S. Hayes, E. P. Lillard, and Mrs. Carrie M. Wright.

Attends Fiesta

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. Kemper has returned from San Antonio where she attended the fiesta and was a guest in the home of her son, Richard Kemper, and Mrs. Kemper.

Carnival Success

PHARR—Fifty dollars net profit was realized from a carnival sponsored here Monday night by the Pharr-San Juan-Alamo High School Band Mothers' Club. Attractions ranged from a wrestling ring to a style show.

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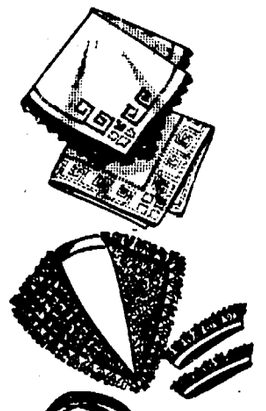


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PAA CLIPPER BACK AFTER EPIC FLIGHT

Air History Is Made By Newsmen

BROWNSVILLE—Nearly a score of U. S. newspapermen headed northward Saturday from Mexico City after writing another chapter in the history of aviation.

The scribes had made the first scheduled flight in Pan American Airways" new stratoplane, the "Rainbow Clipper," breaking the world's record for commercial aviation altitude. The Clipper returned Saturday morning.

The Mexico City flight of the newspapermen celebrated the inauguration Wednesday of new Brainiff and PAA flights here.

Reach 24,000 Feet

Flying PAA's sleek sub-stratosphere ship, the group coasted over Mexico at 21,000 feet, and were reported to have attained a top altitude of 24,000 feet before landing in the Mexican capital.

Despite the altitude, the air pressure cabin compared to ordinary flight conditions of 13,000 feet, because of its supercharging system, similar to "air conditioning."

The flight was in charge of Frances Jacobs, chief pilot of the western division of PAA. The scribes were accompanied by Charles E. Beard, vice president of Brainiff Airways, and his assistant, W. R. Beattie.

Oil Man Aboard

Revenue passengers included W R. Davis, president of Davis and Company, international oil factor, who is developing the Rincon oil field of Starr county and is building a tank farm, and plans a refinery at Brownsville.

While in Mexico City, as the guests of PAA and the Mexican government, the newspapermen were taken on a sightseeing tour of the Mexican capital, floated through the beautiful gardens of Xochimilco, and spent an afternoon at Rancho Blanco.

They also had tea at the United States embassy as the guests of Josephus Daniels, U. S. Ambassador to Mexico, and Mrs. Daniels.

The newspapermen were impressed particularly with the intense building activity going on in Mexico City.

More Books

Library Demand Is Increasing

BROWNSVILLE—A score of new books, including several mystery stories, are expected to be added to the shelves of the Brownsville public library by the end of the week, Mrs. Claude Morton, librarian, said Saturday.

Adult fiction jumped from 969 of April a year ago to 1,007 last month, the April report of the library showed.

Juvenile fiction issued in April amounted to 77 books. There were 172 non-fiction books issued. The library had 425 readers, and seven applicants during April.

The new mystery books to be added to the library include, "Friday the 13th," "Death Comes Dancing," "Enter Three Witches," "Sabotage," "The Case of the Baited Hook," and "Murder in Shinbone Alley."

Other new books ordered include: "Show Me a Land," "The Trees," "Chad Hanna," "An American In Paris," "How Green Is My Valley," "Development of the Pre-School Child," "Mrs. Skeffington," "Bethel Merriday," "This Side of Glory," "Decade," "Don't You Cry For Me," "Their Own Country," "Miss Munday," nad "Dude Women."

U. S. Aide Becomes Proud Papa Of Boy

BROWNSVILLE — William Hedetniemi of the U. S. district attorney's office, Houston, a frequent visitor here, Saturday announced the stork's arrival.

An eight-pound, four ounce son, named John Fobert, was born Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Hedetniemi, it was announced.

Hedetniemi, who attended the University of Michigan, proudly planned on the announcement that little John is to be a member of Michigan's class of 1962.

Health Inspector Passes Out Cigars

BROWNSVILE — E. E. de la Pena, inspector of the U. S. Public Health Service, Friday passed out cigars at the Brownsville airport.

A husky eight-pound, 12 ounce, daughter was born Thursday night to Mr. and Mrs. de la Pena, the inspector revealed.

Brownsville Postal Receipts Show Gain

BROWNSVILLE — Postal receipts here showed a substantial gain in April according to figures released Saturday by Postmaster W. T. Burnett of Brownsville.

The receipts for the month totaled $6,532.22 compared with $6,061.14 for April, 1939, the postmaster said.

Cantata Delayed

LA FERIA—The sacred cantata, "Esther," to have been given this Sunday evening in the La Feria high school auditorium, has been postponed, it was announced here Saturday.

The cantata will be given the evening of Sunday, May 19.

SPEEDING CHARGED

HARLINGEN — Clifford Johnson was fined $1 and costs or total of $10 by Justice of the Peace Menton Murray here Saturday, on speeding charge filed by State Highway Patrolman R. L. Woods.

Two More Producers Mark Area Oil Moves

Production Tests To Continue For Wildcats

McALLEN — Lower Rio Grande Valley proven field activity was featured Saturday by completion of two producers at the western and northeastern extremities of the Sun field in northeastern Starr county and a gasser on the northwest edge of the field, while the Sullivan City field in western Hidalgo county came back with two new oilers and a renewed drilling campaign.

The new west edge producer in the Sun field was Sun Oil Company No. B-1 Speer, Survey 236, 900 feet west of production. With the hole bottomed at 4,966 feet, operators cemented 5 1-2-inch o. d. casing on bottom and gun-perforated with 30 shots at 4,924-34 feet. The well gauged nine barrels hourly on 3-16-inch tubing choke with 425 pounds tubing working pressure and 800 pounds closed-in casing pressure. Production was from the Speer sand in the area, and the well apparently opened up several new locations to immediate drilling.

Humble Has Gasser

In the same vicinity but farther north, Humble Oil and Refining Company No. 3 N. R. Montalvo, Survey 237, was completed as a huge gasser through casing perforations at 4,102-06 feet after the hole had been bottomed at 5,021 feet and casing cemented at 4,850 feet. Potential test showed 50,000,000 cubic feet of gas on 3-16-inch tubing choke with tubing and casing pressure equalized at 1,625 pounds. The well made a very small amount of oil, the gas-oil ratio being 250,000:1.

At the northeast extremity of production, Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1 Enemerio Juarez, Survey 241, was completed as the field's third producer in the 5,100-foot sand. The well flowed oil on drill stem test at 5,150-80 feet after sand had been cored at 5,154-75 feet. Casing was cemented on bottom at 5,181 feet. Through first casing perforation at 5,154-57 feet, the well made some salt water, but it was recompleted through perforations (1 holes) at 5,153-56 feet after the original perforations had been closed with cement. The well gauged 10 barrels hourly on quarter-inch tubing choke with tubing working pressure of 700 pounds. Tubing was set with packer in the hole.

New Locations Set

Sun was also drilling two new inside locations in the field. The No. 7 George H. Speer, Survey 238, was drilling past 3,100 feet, while the No. Augustin Olivares, Survey 239, was drilling at 2,300 feet.

In the northwest part of the field, Humble's No. 4 N. R. Montalvo Survey 237, was drilling below 3,000 feet.

Two new producers in the Sullivan City field in western Hidalgo county attracted new attention to that area, when Royal Oil and Gas Company of Houston had taken over several leases and planned rather extensive development.

Royal's No. A-1 V. G. Chapa, Tract 238, Portion 39, Reynosa Jurisdiction, was bottomed around 4,180 feet and cemented casing on bottom. Production test was under way in the field's 4,100-foot sand, but definite details were not available. The test recovered considerable oil drill stem test of the sand.

Phillips Has Offset

Phillips Petroleum Compnay No. 2 G. G. Salinas, Tract 239, Portion 39, Reynosa Jurisdiction, a south offset to the Royal No. A-1 Chapa, gauged 150 barrels of oil and 200,000 cubic feet of gas daily on 1-8-inch tubing choke with tubing working pressure of 800 pounds and closed-in casing pressure of 1,500 pounds. The field's 4,100-foot sand was cored at 4,112-25 feet and casing was perforated at 4,115-23 feet. The hole was bottomed at 4,326 feet and casing was cemented at 4,184 feet for the production test.

Royal Oil and Gas No. C-1 V G. Chapa, Tract 238, Portion 40, Reynosa Jurisdiction, originally bottomed at 4,026 feet and drilled by Rowan and Hope-Baldridge a year ago, was capped and shut in after a 48-hour blowout, apparently from the 3,400-foot gas sand in the area. Operators of a worker rig were attempting to cement perforations when the blowout occurred. No damage was done either to the well or rig. The new owners of the well plan to deepen the hole to 4,200 feet.

In the Kelsey field in Brooks-Starr-Jim Hogg counties, a dry hole was reported on the east edge of production and another new test was making hole.

Humble Well Abandoned

Humble's No. 65 J. C. McGill, about 5,500 feet east of discovery, was dry and abandoned at total depth of 4,785 feet, while the No. 63 McGill, two locations north of the No. 65, was drilling past 3,250 feet.

One new producer was completed in the Colorado field in western Jim Hogg county and another new well as on the sand.

Humble No. 8 King Ranch-Colorado, Survey 42, on the east edge of the field, gauged 176 barrels daily on 3-16-inch tubing choke with 250 pounds tubing working pressure and 700 pounds closed-in casing pressure from sand at 3,029-41 feet. Casing had been cemented atop the sand and the hole was bottomed in sand.

Humble's No. 9 King Ranch-Colorado, Survey 42, also on the northeast edge of production, cored the field sand at 3,027-39 feet, where the hole was bottomed, cemented 5 1-2-inch o.d. casing atop the sand and was waiting on cement.

Well Cores For Sand

At the northwestern extremity of the field, about 1,900 feet northwest of production, K. M. Huber et al's No. 1 F. G. Trevino, Survey 37, was reported coring for the sand around 3,000 feet.

A southeast outpost about four miles southeast of production at Colorado was awaiting orders after completing contract and running electrical survey. Bob Irwin et al's No. 1 C. D. Jaur, in the southwest 40 acres of the northeast quarter of Survey 15, was bottomed at 3,511 feet and no shows were reported

Sun Oil Company No. 1 N. S. Thaxton, Survey 670, on the east edge of the field, was still a location and is a direct offset to Colorado Octane Company's "E" lease.

Starr Has Producer

One new producer and an abandonment were reported in the El Tanque field in southern Starr County.

Clopton and Mitchell's No. 4 C. P. Wardner, in the west two-sevenths of Portion 84, Camargo Jurisdiction, pumped 60 barrels daily from sand through casing perforations (40 shots) at 1,581-85 feet. Sand body was logged at 1,581-85 feet and casing was cemented at 1,750 feet after the hole was carried to total depth of 1,840 feet.

Clopton and Mitchell's No. 7 G. P. Wardner, southeast of the No. 4 Wardner and in the same lease in Portion 84, Camargo Jurisdiction, showed salt water in the 1,300-foot, 1,500-foot and 1,800-foot sands as well as the regular El Tanque sand at 1,680-85 feet and was abandoned at total depth of 1,855 feet.

Moss-Bass-Owen's No. 5 Medardo Hinojosa et al was a new location in the North Ricaby field in Portion 83, Camargo Jurisdiction.

PRODUCTION TESTS CONTINUE IN TWO DEEP WILDCATS

McALLEN—Production tests were continuing Saturday in two deep wildcats in the Lower Rio Grande Valley, one each in Starr and Hidalgo counties.

In northeastern Starr between the Sun and Kelsey fields, Sun Oil Company, No. 1 Encarnacion Rodriguez, west part of Santa Teresa Grant, continued production tests through casing perforations in sand at 6,421-49 feet. Original tests through perforations at 6,435-39 feet and 6,441-44 feet yielded about 175 barrels of salt water and 500,000 to 600,000 cubic feet of gas daily on 1-8 inch tubing choke with 1,800 pounds tubing working pressure and 2,250 pounds closed-in casing pressure. After these perforations had been "squeezed" with cement, another test through perforations at 6,430-40 feet yielded additional gas and salt water. A third test at 6,434-38 feet again showed salt water. Operators have shut down for orders.

Repairs Cause Shutdown

Several miles west and south of the Sun field, Sun No. 1-W. G. Lehr, Survey 513, anothe important Starr wildcat, was shut down for water and boiler repairs at total depth of 5,405 feet. Little information has been made available on reported showing in this well.

In western Starr, a Queen City sand test was awaiting orders after cleaning out the hole. R. C. Hillman's No. 1 Gonzalez Heirs, Share 232, Portion 69, Mier Jurisdiction, was bottomed at 5,937 feet after failing to get drill stem tests both at 3,875-80 feet and 3,893-3,905 feet. Operators have cleaned out 2,000 feet of drill pipe which was dropped into the hole and which "corkscrewed."

North of Rio Grande City, Interstate Minerals, Inc., No. 2 Green and Manning, Share 85, Portion 81, Camargo Jurisdiction, was shut down with a fishing job at 2,000 feet.

New Gas Reserve

In Central-Hidalgo county, Gulf States Oil Company, No. 2 Josefa Carden s, Share 156, San Salvador del Tule Grant, continued production tests in deep sands. The well proved a gigantic new gas reserve for Hidalgo county on original test of a solid sand section at 8,587-8,702 feet when it gauged 43 to 50 barrels of distillate and 3,500,000 cubic feet of gas daily on quarter-inch tubing choke with 3,850 pounds tubing working pressure and 1,200 pounds closed-in casing pressure. Operators plugged off the lower sand and came back up the hole to test 8,500-foot and 8,200-foot sands logged electrically. No coring was done below 7,500 feet.

In southeastern Cameron county, Pure Oil Company, No. 1, Garcia Land and Cattle Company, six miles south of Port Isabel, was drilling again past 8,540 feet after cementing 8 1-4 inch o.d. protection string at 8,300 feet. The test is headed for 10,000 feet or deeper.

In eastern Jim Hogg county about four miles north of the Kelsey field, Maryland Oil Company, No. 1, Yzaguirre, Tract 7, Las Animas Grant, was still a location. On a farmout from Shell Petroleum Corporation, it was understood the well must be carried to 6,500 feet.

25-Cent Idea

Student Receives Aid Via Letters

McALLEN—When a University of Texas sophomore found himself without sufficient funds to continue his education, he went to work to do something about it.

He wrote scores of letters, addressed to various persons over the state, asking them to send him 25 cents in an enclosed stamped and addressed envelope in order that he might continue work on degrees in business administration and law.

A McAllen man who received one of the letters promptly sent 25 cents to the student.

Valley Poetess Has Work In New Book

WESLACO—The poem, "Heaven," written by Mrs. Elizabeth Gilliland, Weslaco, has been accepted for publication in the World's Fair Anthology of Verse, and qualified in the $100 poetry contest, according to information here from Paul Emery Carter, editor.

Earlier work of Mrs. Gilliland has has appeared in such publications as Southwester, Your Mother and Mine, Southwester Anthology, Poets On Parade, and The Poetry Digest. She was included in Notable Women of the Southwest, published in 1937. She is a secretary, 20 years old, was born in Kosciusko, Miss., graduated from Weslaco high school in 1936, and attended Draughon's Business College, San Antonio, 1937.

Mission Singers To Give Program

McALLEN—The Mission High School glee club directed by Clayborne Norris will present a 40-minute musical program Sunday night at the First Baptist Church here, Rev. Henry W. Shirley, pastor, announced Saturday.

The Mission group has appeared on several occasions at church services in the Valley and has been greeted with wide approval, he added. The morning music will be in charge of William Doyle of McAllen, who directed singing at both services of the church last Sunday.

Pike Is Appointed New Bank Cashier

MERCEDES—H. M. Pike, who has been with the Hidalgo County Bank and Trust company here for the past four years, has been named cashier of the firm, O. E. VanBerg, president, announced Saturday.

Pike succeeds A. W. Lewis, cashier and director of the bank for several years, who resigned to join the C. A. Ripley vegetable firm in Mercedes. Pike formerly held the post of assistant cashier, and came to Mercedes from Weslaco.

Some men tell the truth and then try to lie out of it.

SOUTH TEXAS MEET CALLED

Regional Chamber's Board To Confer

SAN ANTONIO—Date of the annual South Texas Chamber of Commerce board of directors meeting has been set for Tuesday, May 28. It will be held in San Antonio and will begin with a noon luncheon in the Pan American room of the Gunter Hotel, Ray Leeman, executive vice president, has announced.

Annual reports of activities during the fiscal year will be made and officers and directors will be elected for the ensuing year. D. E. Blackburn, Victoria banker, is present president. Numerous new activities have been added by the regional chamber during the past year and they will be covered by reports for the first time.

A committee on declarations and resolutions has been named for the convention. Headed by J. M. Pickering, Victoria, it also includes A. Wayne Wood, Brownsville; L. Mims, Freeport; Al Buchanan, San Antonio; C. W. Miller, San Antonio;; James A. Harley, San Antonio; W. M. Griffin, Sinton and Sam Fore, Jr., Floresville.

A nominations committee also announced includes H. G. Stein, Luing; L. H. Gross, Corpus Christi, and M. L. Moody, Jr., El Campo.

Home Taxes Hit

'Unbearable Burden' Says FHA

WASHINGTON —(AP)— The Federal Home Loan Bank board reported Saturday that real estate taxes had become an "unbearable burden" on the ownership of property.

The board made public a report prepared for it by F. B. Bourland, former Illinois state manager of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation, which said that taxes were a "depressant" on land value, "A deterrent to its sale and a hazard to its economic stability."

The board reported that March home financing activity totaled $300,420,000, which was 18 per cent above February and six per cent higher than March, 1939. For the first quarter, the board said, the total was $818,731,000, an increase of 12 per cent over the 1939 period.

Mrs. Duddlesten Heads Willacy Group In Cancer Campaign

RAYMONDVILLE—Mrs. Karl H. Duddlesten, Raymondville, has been named captain in the Women's Field Army for Control of Cancer, and will be in charge of the enlistment campaign and cancer control work in Willacy county, according to announcement Saturday by Mrs. Volney Taylor, Brownsville, state commander, Women's Field Army.

First campaign to raise funds to aid in the cancer fight was held in Brownsville and was designated as Cancer Tag Day. Mrs. Neil Allen is chairman of the committees from various civic and literary clubs participating in the campaign.

Mercedes Observes Music Week Period

MERCEDES—Mayor D. L. Heidrick of Mercedes has designated the week of May 5-11 as National Music Week in Mercedes by issuing a proclamation, he announced Saturday.

Special church music, events in which the Mercedes Music Club will participate, and other programs are planned during the week.

HARDIN RELATIVE DIES

BROWNSVILLE — Mrs. B. F. Hardin, organist at the First Methodist church of Brownsville, left Saturday for Coleman, Texas, to attend funeral services for her mother, Mrs. F. A. Murray, who died early Saturday morning.

Few men are able to retain their self-conceit after they are married.

ANOTHER VICTIM "MAD BUTCHER?"



Pittsburgh police are shown carrying one of the three multilated bodies found slain under mysterious circumstances. Belief was expressed the three men might have been victims of the "mad butcher" blamed for twelve torso slayings in Cleveland.

McAllen Seniors Pick Bloodcurdling Drama

McALLEN—Final rehearsals were under way Saturday for the McAllen Senior High school graduating class play, a bloodcurdling murder mystery entitled, "'A Murder Has Been Arranged," to be staged May 10.

Don Irwin, art and dramatic instructor, is directing the play, the first he has coached locally. Characters include Lila Beth Culwell, Clyde Walker, Betty Joe Langston, Charles Holland, Bernie Gwin, Betty Crowell, Gordon Griffin, David Calvin and Becky Clark.

The scene is laid in the ponderous, dim recesses of the St. James Theatre, London, England. Sir Charles Jasper, whose role will be filled by Griffin, has invited all his family to a dinner party in observance of a weird anniversary. That night at midnight marked the zero hour of the 50th anniversary of a murder which was committed on the same scene. According to a prophecy, the murderer would be disclosed and Sir Charles would inherit the neat sum of 2,000,000 pounds. Next in line of succession to Sir Charles is Maurice Mullins, played by David Calvin.

Uninvited Mullins comes to the party, and the show goes on from there.

Tickets are on sale and may be purchased from any member of the class or at the door the night of the play.

Talks Cancelled

Perrine Is Unable To Visit Valley

McALLEN—Nat S. Perrine, managing director of the Texas Safety Association, Inc., scheduled to make a series of talks in the Valley beginning Monday, will be unable to fulfill the engagements, Mrs. Helen Sellers, his secretary, advised McAllen Chamber of Commerce officials in a letter received Saturday.

Mrs. Sellers said Perrine must be in Dallas Monday for a committee meeting, at Houston Tuesday for a committee meeting and at Austin Thursday for an administrative committee session.

After some men get a start in life they don't know when to stop.

AIR BUSINESS TAKES JUMP

Brownsville Travel Is Up 50 Per Cent

BROWNSVILLE—Export declarations doubled, and air craft showed a huge increase here in April, according to the monthly report of U. S. customs issued Saturday.

Aircraft passengers arriving here from Latin America totaled 804 compared to 402 of April, 1939, the report showed.

While aviation boomed, the number of export declarations jumped from 504 of April, 1939, to 1,039 last month. Total entries soared from 634 to 948.

There was a total of 15,306 vehicles entering the United States at Brownsville in April with 64,780 passengers.

The vehicles included 69 freight cars, it was said.

Cold Storage Plant Discussions Slated

SAN BENITO—A discussion of merits and advantages of a cold storage plant, including the use of locker boxes for preservation of fresh meats and vegetables, will be held at the high school building at 8 p. m. Tuesday, for members of the San Benito Gin Company and their wives.

An open forum will be held following talks on the subject by a number of speakers, with questions on the matter being answered.

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1936 Plymouth Sedan	$338
1935 Plymouth Sedan	$278
1934 Plymouth Coach	$178

DODGES

1936 Dodge Sedan	$338
1936 Dodge Coach	$328
1935 Dodge Coach	$288
1934 Dodge Coach	$146

CHEVROLETS

1933 Chevrolet Coupe	$138
1933 Chevrolet Coupe	$108
1936 Chevrolet Coupe	$288

OTHERS

1937 Ford Deluxe 2-dr.	$398
1935 Ford Coupe	$268
1937 DeSoto Sedan	$448
1936 Pontiac Sedan	$298
1933 Chrysler Sedan	$128
1931 DeSoto Sedan	$128

Many other Cheaper Cars To Choose From

Do not forget . . . We are Headquarters in the Valley for USED TRUCKS, Our Trucks are Reconditioned and are Dependable in every respect.

Wroten Motor Co.
Dodge-Plymouth
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2. BUSINESS OPPOR.

2a. Business for Sale

FOR SALE: Dine and dance business. Lease property. Also want cook. Pop and Mom's Place, Donna.

NICE CAFE FOR SALE: Seats 40. New Highway Location. See P. A. Lindley, Raymondville, Texas.

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1. AUTOMOBILES **1. AUTOMOBILES**
1a. Autos for Sale **1a. Autos for Sale**

Compare Prices & Values

1937	FORD Fordor, DeLuxe	$295
1935	OLDSMOBILE Coach	$195
1936	FORD Tudor	$295
1934	FORD Tudor	$115
1934	CHEVROLET Coupe	$115
1936	CHEVROLET Coach, Trunk	$225

COMMERCIALS

1936	CHEVROLET Pick-Up	$125
1937	FORD Pick-Up	$365
1938	FORD Pick-Up	$485
1937	CHEVROLET ½ ton Panel	$365

Boggus Motor Company
111 E. Van Buren Harlingen

Everyone Wants The Most For His Money And That Is What We Expect To Give Every Customer

1938 Oldsmobile "6" Sport Coupe, radio, new white sidewall tires $595

1939	Chevrolet Coupe, radio	$595.00
1938	Chevrolet Coupe, radio	$485.00
1938	Chevrolet Town Sedan	$545.00
1937	Oldsmobile Sedan, radio	$535.00
1937	Plymouth DeLuxe Sedan	$445.00
1937	Plymouth Coupe	$395.00
1937	Plymouth Coupe	$375.00
1938	Plymouth DeLuxe Coach	$545.00
1937	Pontiac "8" Coach, radio	$445.00
1937	Chrysler Royal Sedan	$515.00
1937	Chevrolet Town Sedan	$395.00
1936	Pontiac "6" Coupe	$245.00
1935	Ford Sedan, ONLY	$ 85.00

Many More Cheaper Cars Not Listed

Browder Motor Company
210 N. Commerce Harlingen Phone 608

A BETTER USED CAR for LESS MONEY

You can't go wrong when you save money on cars like these! Fine new models that please the eye and bank book.

'39 FORD Tudor	$595
'38 FORD Sedan	$495
'38 FORD Coupe	$475
'37 FORD Tudor	$395
'37 FORD Coupe	$375
'37 FORD "60" Coupe	$350
'37 STUDEBAKER Sedan	$425
'37 CHEVROLET Tudor Trunk	$425
'36 FORD Tudor	$275
'35 FORD TUDOR	$175
'35 FORD Station Wagon, New motor	$295
'34 FORD Tudor	$145

These are Only a Few of the Big Bargains Now at.....

PIPKIN-MANSKE MOTORS
BROWNSVILLE

1. AUTOMOBILES **1. AUTOMOBILES**
1a. Autos for Sale **1a. Autos for Sale**

WAR DECLARED

On The High Prices of
USED CARS

Our Cars have been BLITZKREIGED... shattering all existing prices with a lightning attack from land and air... check these demolished prices... for the best Used Car Buys in the Valley.

1938	STUDEBAKER, Commander Sedan	$545
1937	FORD STATION WAGON	$545
1939	CHEVROLET, DeLuxe Coupe	$595
1937	FORD DeLuxe Tudor	$395
1937	CHEVROLET DeLuxe Coach	$395
1936	CHEVROLET DeLuxe Coach	$295
1936	FORD Tudor with Trunk	$345
1936	DODGE Sedan	$345
1935	ODGE Sedan	$295
1934	DESOTO 4-Pasenger Coupe	$195
1934	CHRYSLER Sedan	$195
1932	CHEVROLET Coach	$ 95

Boggus Motor Sales
1621 Hiway McAllen Phone 84

Look!

HERE'S YOUR CAR!

'37 BUICK Fordor—6 wheel	$495
'38 DODGE 4 door Sedan	$465
'37 INTERNATIONAL dual-wheel chassis	$300
'37 DODGE Truck	$425
'35 FORD Fordor	$265

'36 CHEVROLET Sedan. In perfect condition. Runs & looks like new!
'38 DODGE Truck. A serviceable dependable truck that's a real bargain!
'35 CHRYSLER Sedan. A car that you can't afford to over-look! See this one.
'35 CHRYSLER Sedan. Ask to see a car economically priced and good, and we'll show you this one!
'35 OLDSMOBILE DeLuxe Fordor. Radio. New tires. In fact, everything that a Real Bargain implies.

30 Other Bargains to choose from. Now is the time to buy a Used Car that is reasonably priced and at the same time mechanically checked!

AUTO MART
"YOUR OLDSMOBILE DEALER"
904 Washington BROWNSVILLE Phone 142

BETTER CARS AT BETTER PRICES

1939	CHEVROLET Coach, radio 17,000 actual miles	$695
1939	CHEVROLET Master DeLuxe Coach, radio	$695
	CHRYSLER Air-Flow Sedan, latest series, new tires, puncture-proof tubes	$795

1939 Ford Tudor ..... $595 1937 Chevrolet Coach .. $445

FERGUSON MOTOR COMPANY
CHRYSLER—PLYMOUTH
Phone 1375 Harlingen 602 W. Jackson

2. BUSINESS OPPOR.

2a. Business for Sale

FOR SALE: Grocery Store—A-1 location. Profitable, fast growing section. Selling on account of illness. Mother and son could handle. Cash deal or mostly cash and part clear property at actual value. A. G. Nagel, P. O. Box 986, McAllen.

2c. Business Wanted

WANTED: Established ice-cream business. Anywhere in Valley. Address Box: B-139, Star Office, Harlingen.

Men and women should look during courtship and overlook after marriage.

4. BUSINESS SERVICES

4e. Florist. Nurseries

ROSES, 35c dozen. Easter lilies, 60c dozen. Gladoli. Free delivery. Tropical Nursery, telephone 185-J, Brownsville.

4m. Insurance

W. B. CLINT Agency. Insurance. 429 12th. Protect yourself now with Fire, Automobile, Windstorm Insurance. Brownsville.

4o. Typewriter Rep.,Serv.

SEE THE new L. C. Smith with automatic margin set. Smith Typewriter Exchange. Rents - service Brownsville.

1. AUTOMOBILES

1a. Autos for Sale

Look!

1939 Plymouth DeLuxe sedan radio, very low mileage $745

1939 CHRYSLER Royal Sedan overdrive and radio $645

1937 DeSOTO Sedan Exceptionally clean throughout. $445

BRADY Motor Co.
Chrysler - Plymouth
Sales - Service
1018 Ash Ave.
McALLEN

11. Trailors For Sale

HOUSE TRAILER: Sturdily built completely furnished. 406 East Monroe street, Harlingen.

4. BUSINESS SERVICES

4o. Typewriter Rep.,Serv.

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Exclusive Sales Agent
UNDERWOOD TYPEWRITERS
SUNSTRAND ADDING MACHINES
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4r. Upholstering

FURNITURE repaired, upholstered and refinished. Phone 464, 418 East Harrison, Belden Furniture

FURNITURE REPAIRED, refinished. Porch curtains, slip covers. Phone 422. 900 Elizabeth. Port City Tent, Awning Co., Brownsville.

5. PERSONALS

REV. JOSEPH P. MORGAN, spiritual advisor on all business, life, health affairs daily. 247 10th St., San Carlos Apts. Room 12, phone 734, Brownsville.

WOMEN—Do you want a baby? Dr. Will Elders Products, Incorporated, Suite 1223 Schneider Bldg., St. Joseph, Missouri, will send you a treatise explaining Dr. Elders prescriptions for sterility due to certain forms of functional weakness. It will be sent free of charge, in plain wrapper. Write today.

8. EMPLOYMENT

8a. Help Wanted—Male

Wanted
Good New & Used Car Salesman
Wroten Motor Co.
Phone 11 Harlingen

YOUNG MAN 20 to 40. Good education, car necessary. Excellent pay. Rapid advancement. Beginning in sales department. Box 1134, Harlingen.

SCHOOL BOYS wanted for routes in Hidalgo county towns. Write Circulation Department, Brownsville Herald, Brownsville.

RELIABLE MAN take care store route. New plan of distribution. No selling. Earn excellent weekly income. B. and W. Nut Co., St. Paul, Minn.

APPLICATIONS WANTED: Ambitious Raymondville boys between the ages of 14 and 16 who would like to have a good VALLEY MORNING STAR route, write to Vance Oehme, circulation manager, the VALLEY MORNING STAR, Harlingen, Texas. A real opportunity for young men anxious to learn and work for it.

I WANT A MAN capable of establishing and operating a new auto-wrecking yard in the Valley. Knowledge of salvage values, also parts values absolutely necessary. The job requires a well rounded experienec in the wrecking business. Good pay for a good man. Apply Box B-150, Star, Harlingen.

6b. Help Wanted—Female

FREE DRESSES for yourself and up to $22 weekly showing famous Fashion Frocks. Not house to house. No investment. Write fully giving age and dress size. FASHION FROCKS, Dept. V-7307, Cincinnati, O.

HOUSEKEEPER: Light work, no laundry, room furnished. Box 591, McAllen.

CAR HOP WANTED: Girl or boy. Apply at The Vermillion, or telephone 9534, Brownsville.

4. BUSINESS SERVICES **4. BUSINESS SERVICES**
4a. Beauty Shops **4a. Beauty Shops**



All Branches Of Beauty Culture

Are Expertly Taught
In The Curriculum of

"HOLTRYS" COLLEGE OF BEAUTY CULTURE
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Holtry's Prestige and ethical reputation are the results of strict adherence to the teaching task. Every fundamental and artistic phase of Beauty Culture is taught by master beauticians. Individual instructions speeds your way to complete mastery of every detail in the thorough Holtry Curriculum.

Beauty experts recommend an seek Holtry graduates for managers, operators and stylists in fine salons. The success of our graduates attests to the supremacy of the famous SYSTEM.

Transportation arrangements are made for out of town students.



COMPLETE BEGINNERS COURSES
BRUSH-UPS FOR PROFESSIONALS

Instructors are in demand at good salaries.

— TUITION $2.00 WEEKLY—

"HOLTRY'S"
College Of Beauty Culture
Harlingen

7. INSTRUCTIONS

7b. Schools, Colleges

MEN WHO would like to take up air conditioning and electric refrigeration to better themselves. Must be mechanically inclined, willing to train in spare time by preliminary home study to qualify for our practical shop training. Write Utilities Institute, Box B-143, c-o Star, Harlingen.

8. WORK WANTED

8a. Situations Wanted

HEALTHY, young, married white man desires any kind of work. Address Box B-114, Star, Harlingen.

Cooperating with the Employment Committee of the American Legion, the Valley Morning Star is contributing the space below in an effort to help find employment for heads of families in the Valley.

VETERANS AVAILABLE FOR EMPLOYMENT
Occupational Classification

No. 1 Truck driver, Foreman—labor gang, Tractor operator.
No. 2 Painter—House, Glazier, Spray— gun painter.
No. 3 Engineer—operator ice machinery.
No. 4 Operator grader, Laborer—construction, Truck driver, Tractor operator.
No. 5 Operator—tractor, Grader operator, Mover—furniture, Laborer—construction.

9. FINANCIAL

9a. Real Estate Loans

Loans
F.H.A. and Commercial Loans
R. N. Jones
217 Emoee Bldg. Harlingen Phone 414

9b. Auto Loans

AUTOMOBILE LOANS
Refinancing
General Insurance
M. Bailey
Bennett Tire & Supply
Weslaco

LOANS



1. FINANCING the purchase of new or used car from individual or dealer.
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Twelve Years of Successful Experience Enables J. L. Head Finance Company to Handle Practically Every Transaction in Only a Few Minutes.

Valley-Wide
J. L. Head
Finance Company
Since 1928
GENERAL INSURANCE
Madison Hotel Bldg. Harlingen Phone 433

9. FINANCIAL

9a. Real Estate Loans

F. H. A. Farm Loans
Valley-Wide

To Build,
Refinance
And Repair.

GUNN INSURANCE AGENCY
1312 Beaumont Avenue
McAllen

9c. Personal Loans

$5 to $50.00
AUTO PERSONAL
Loans in 30 Minutes
Magnolia Finance Co.
117½ W. Jackson Harlingen Phone 1068

10. FOR SALE

10a. Household Goods

FOR SALE: Several Good used Ice Boxes. One second-hand Briggs-Stratton 5-8 horse power motor—$12.50. One second-hand electric Washing Machine—Runs Good—$12.50. Several Good used Battery radios — $3.00 — up — without Battery. Sears Roebuck & Co., Harlingen.

LEAVING VALLEY: Frigidaire, gas range—like new, breakfast-room, bedroom suites. F. O. Harrell on Olmito Lake.

MAYTAG WASHING MACHINE Aluminum tub. Cheap for cash. Can be seen at Delta Courts. Inquire Cottage 14, Brownsville.

FURNITURE for five-room, modern home, priced for quick sale. 1448 Garfield street, telephone 1019, Brownsville.

10b. Musical Goods

USED GRAND PIANO
Rare Bargain, if taken at once. H. K. Wellburn, Credit Department
SAN ANTONIO MUSIC CO.
117 N. A street
Harlingen

10c. For Sale, Misc.

CHILDREN'S ENCYCLOPEDIA: "Book of Knowledge," 20 volumes. Like new. Also mandolin, reasonable. 1625 West Elizabeth, Brownsville.

1940 ALLIS CHALMERS W. C. Tractor on rubber with full equipment. Cost $1535.00 sixty days ago. Owe $1225.00. Will sell to someone taking over balance due. Inquire N. I. Koppell, phone 372, Harlingen.

SOME COLD STORAGE space available for fruit and potatoes. SHIPPERS SERVICE, INC., CO., Donna, Texas.

For Sale
At Bargain Prices

New Elevator Potato Diggers.
Landis No. 3 Harness Machine.
John Deere Tractor with Equipment.
Portable Houses, 8x14 and 8x10.
36x50 Corrugated Iron Warehouse.
Folding House Trailer, not mounted.
Baled Alfalfa and Corn.

PHILLIPS
LUMBER YARD
San Benito, Texas

10e. Radio Repairs, Equip.

RADIO SERVICE: Free inspection, satisfaction guaranteed. Phil Amsler, 2123 17th street, Victoria Heights, phone 178, Brownsville.

Self-interest has shattered many a man's lofty ideals.

9. 9. FINANCIAL

9b Auto Loans 9b Auto Loans



We Offer A Friendly Loan Service For The Entire Valley

When you buy a car be fair to Valley business .... Finance it through a LOCAL Finance Company.

In doing this you not only help the Valley, but are helping yourself. If at sometime during the term of your loan you need a favor you can come nearer getting it through a local firm.

We Make Loans For The Purchase Of

New and Used Cars Refinancing

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Phone 1320 Over First National Bank Harlingen

Refinancing LOANS

If you own an automobile we'll loan you any amount up to $200.00. Easy repayment terms . . . Strictly confidential dealings . . . See us today.

Community Loan Co.

L. M. NORRELL, Mgr.

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10c. For Sale, Misc.

10. FOR SALE



We specialize in the manufacture of TANKS. Any size, for any purpose.

Valley Blacksmith & Welding Shop

314 W. Adams Harlingen

10h. Machinery, Equipment

LARGE BUTCHER COOLER: 8x12, and compressor. Complete bargain for quick sale. Ed Friedrick Sales Corp., 600 Ash ave., McAllen. C. P. Samson.

11. LIVESTOCK

11a. Dogs, Cats, Pets

MOTHER'S DAY GIFT

Mother would enjoy a beautiful CANARY. We have some fine Singers in full song. Also Finches, Parrakeets and Love Birds.

JORDAN'S BOARDING KENNELS

First House west of Fair Park Harlingen

CHAMPION BRED English Bull Terrier (not Pit). Perfect type. Only one this breed in South Texas. Affectionate. Terrific watch and guard. Age two years. A spectacular dog. Ray S. Wait, phone 7, Port Isabel.

11b. Horses, Cattle

FIVE-YEAR-OLD riding horse and saddle for sale. 1514 Cleveland, phone 745, Brownsville.

Good Brahma Bulls For Sale

Yearlings and Twos 17 Head

O. D. Sevier

Parker's Sale Yard

Harlingen

11c. Poultry, Supplies

BABY CHICKS: Started chicks. All from blood-tested stock of high vitality. Only hatchery in the Valley with trap nest breeding farm. FISHER POULTRY FARM AND HATCHERY, Raymondville.

BARGAIN SUMMER PRICES: Largest production sexed pullets and males and R.O.P. sired chicks in southwest. R.O.P. sires out of 232-312 egg hens. Catalog Free. DIXIE POULTRY FARMS, Box 204, Brenham, Texas.

14. RENTALS

14a. Apartments

FOR RENT: Furnished apartment—bills paid. 605 East Jackson. Phone 306-J, Harlingen.

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14a. Apartments

SMALL APARTMENT: Private bath, with or without Frigidaire. Innerspring mattress. All bills paid. 302 East Harrison, Harlingen.

FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED apartments, houses Desirable bedrooms Listings appreciated Mrs J L. Swann, phone 1169-W Harlingen.

CLEAN THREE-ROOM modernistic attic apartment. Cool, fully insulated. Located at 1010 East Madison. Phone 142. George H. Beck Lumber Co., or 289-W, Harlingen.

HALL APARTMENTS: Furnished apartments, 521 E. Tyler, Harlingen.

FIVE-ROOM nicely furnished duplex. Newly decorated. Electric refrigeration. 802 East Monroe, Harlingen.

NICELY FURNISHED three-room Duplex. Good location, cool and desirable. Electrolux, garage. Phone 704-M, Harlingen.

FURNISHED APARTMENT: One 2-room, and one 3-room. Modern close in. All bills paid. 222 North First. Phone 578-W, Harlingen.

JUST REDECORATED: Cool apartment, good location. Utilities paid. Adults. 1805 Washington, Apartment 8, telephone 964, Brownsville.

FOR RENT: Downstairs east apartment, furnished. 1206 E. Van Buren, Harlingen. Bruce Ramsey, phone 6007-F-4.

TWO BEDROOM, furnished apartment. Frigidaire. All bills paid. $45.00. Miller Hotel, Elizabeth St., Brownsville.

TERMINAL APARTMENTS: Cool, furnished, reasonable rent. Electrical refrigeration. Utilities paid. Telephone 1126, Brownsville.

SWEENY APARTMENTS: Cool, furnished, electrical refrigeration. Rates extra moderate. Garage. Close in. First and Adams, Brownsville.

FURNISHED SOUTHEAST apartment in duplex. Electrical refrigeration. Garage. 1131 West Levee, phone 1611-W, Brownsville.

NICELY FURNISHED apartments, close in, $18 to $50. Utilities paid. Nel-Roy Apartments, phone 642, Brownsville.

DAVIS COURTS: 2nd and St. Charles: Modern five-room furnished apartment, two bedrooms. Reasonably priced. Telephone 410, Brownsville.

GLENWOOD APARTMENTS: Block from post office. Nicely furnished, utilities paid. Rates moderate. Telephone 1512, Brownsville.

INQUIRE ABOUT our low summer rates at Palm Courts. Cool cottages, private bath, private garage. Brownsville.

14b. Rooms

ROOM FOR RENT: 413 East Monroe. Private entrance. Cool Southwest exposure Harlingen.

ROOMS FOR young men. Garage. Electric fan. Outside entrance. Two blocks from town. 200 South 12th street, McAllen.

NICELY FURNISHED light housekeeping room. Innerspring mattress. 723 Elizabeth street, Brownsville.

14c. Houses

FOR RENT: Nicely furnished 5-room home on North 16th street, McAllen. Call 1066, McAllen.

HOUSE FOR RENT: 409 East Jackson. Five rooms. Call 6010-F-31, Harlingen.

16. REAL ESTATE

16a. Houses for Sale

We Are Selling HOMES

At liquidating prices in these cities throughout the Valley: Harlingen, McAllen, Brownsville, San Benito, La Feria, Weslaco, Donna, Pharr, Alamo, San Juan and Edinburg. IF YOU WOULD BUY A HOME IT WOULD BE TO YOUR INTEREST TO INVESTIGATE THE DEAL WE CAN OFFER.

PENRY & POWERS

112 S. 1st. Phone 445

14. RENTALS

14c. Houses

SEVEN ROOM BRICK home. Beautifully furnished. Tile floored, kitchen, three porches and bath. Lovely yard. 321 West Filmore, phone 1040, Harlingen.

PERMANENT, MODERN 7-rooms: Electricity, Butane gas hot water system and modern bath; city water; garage; nice lawn. All in first class condition. Will be vacated and ready for new tenant April 15th. Boc. Chica highway and Central avenue, near Airport. Apply on premises. O. A. Pechstein, Route 1, Box 45, Brownsville.

FURNISHED HOUSE, four bedrooms. Available May 15. 241 Washington. Telephone 436 for information. Brownsville.

NEWLY PAPERED two-room unfurnished house in rear, with shower. 213 East Monroe, Harlingen.

14d. Room and Board

SPECIAL LUNCH 25c drink included. Johnson's Air-Conditioned Cafe. 210 W Jackson. Harlingen

ROOM WITH BOARD or without it. Garage. 32 Southeast Adams, telephone 954, Brownsville.

14e. Business Properties

GARAGE FOR RENT: 250 North Austin, San Benito. Call San Benito, 818.

16. REAL ESTATE

16a. Houses for Sale

GENERAL INSURANCE

THOS. R. JOSEPH

FHA LOANS—REAL ESTATE

Embee Bldg. Harlingen

Phone 534 or 845

6-ROOM RESIDENCE

Near High School, Washington St. Priced to sell—$2,000; $600 cash. balance $25 per month, including interest and taxes.

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BUILDING! BUILDING!

Yes, it begins to look like the boom of 1929. What's the cause? The answer is loose or easy credit finance which pushes values higher and higher. Buy on today's lows and sell on tomorrow's highs.

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A REAL BARGAIN: An A-1 good-as-new large 5-room frame on choice paved street. Only $2,000.00. $200.00 cash; balance less than rent.

Beautiful good-as-new stucco home, choicest part of Harlingen. $4,250.00. Only $500.00 cash.

LOOK! A good 6-room frame at a real bargain. See it for yourself, all in A-1 repairs, paved street, near school, nice yard, easy payments and only $250.00 cash. Open for inspection on Sunday. Go see it. 1110 E. Madison.

HOW can you pass up this beautiful new 6-room solid brick home at 205 W. Buchanan St. at the "below cost of construction" price, with only a small cash payment?

NEW F.H.A. 6-room brick East Van Buren St. near high school, a real buy, small down payment, monthly payments less than rent.

Folks, just follow our list from day to day. See them drop from our ads; we are selling them. If you want to buy, call 139; if you want to sell, call 139.

Willingham Realty

Harlingen, Texas

Money Talks

$500.00 cash buys large lot well located in Los Ebanos.

$750.00 buys 3 acres close in on Boca Chica highway with city water, electricity, telephone and school bus facilities available. 130 feet of pavement frontage and resaca at back.

$2700.00 buys new east front 5-room ranch type cottage. $200.00 cash; balance easy monthly installments.

$5500.00 buys beautiful 6-room brick veneer home in Los Ebanos with screened front and back porches, double garage and storage room. $500.00 cash; balance easy monthly installments at 5% interest.

S. C. GRAHAM and COMPANY

REALTORS

Phone 179 Marine Arcade Bldg Brownsville

16. REAL ESTATE

16a. Houses for Sale

PROPERTY PRICED TO SELL—CHEAPER THAN DIRT

4-room frame house combined with double garage on corner lot, close in. Rents for $15.00. Just $1250—easy terms.

5-room stucco house, bath, newly reconditioned and repainted, garage, close in—original cost $2750. Price now $1500. Easy terms.

5-room frame house, bath, good condition, garage, corner lot. Rent $20.00. Price now $2150. Easy terms.

6-room frame house, bath, garage, fine condition. Shade tree on front and side. Carpet grass lawn, lots of shrubbery. Worth $3000.00. Price for quick sale, $2250. Good terms. Special sale suitable R. R. People.

4-room frame house, bath, garage, almost acre. Plenty shrubbery. Priced at sacrifice to sell.

10 acres, 5-room frame house, garage and feed shed combined, well water, bale cotton per acre. Price now $2000.00.

20 acres, 6-room house, garage, well water, 3-acre grove, all in crop now. Worth $4000. Price for immediate sale, $2500. Good terms.

SEE

TOM BOWMAN

Real Estate Agent

Office Gilbert Hotel Harlingen

16b. Lots for Sale

BARGAIN: Lot in Los Ebanos—lot 11, Block 12, on Acacia avenue Write Post Office Box 81, Brownsville.

16c. Farms, Ranches

FOR SALE

Ranches, Dry Land Farms

Irrigated Farms

Lake Front Homesites

LLOYD PARKER

OLMITO, TEXAS

16e. For Sale or Trade

TRADE PROPERTY at Kerrville for property anywhere. Night club on pavement and river. Large home on one acre. Small furnished home. 1600-acre hunting preserve. 950-acre stock farm. Several others. Write John Furman, Kerrville.

16i. Land for Trade

RARE BARGAIN: Improved 20 acres, over half in grove. Good buildings. Three miles from Port Brownsville. Write Box 29, c-o Herald, Brownsville.

17. NOTICES

17a. Announcements

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Under this heading are published the names of candidates for public office. The fees for this service can be obtained at the Brownsville Herald office.

Names of candidates will be carried in the announcement column until the July Primary.

Valley Sunday Star-Monitor-Herald is authorized to make the following announcements of candidates subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July.

For District Attorney:
ROY A. SCOTT, Corpus Christi
W. B. WEAVER, Corpus Christi.

For Sheriff:
WILL CABLER, Brownsville.

17d Professional Notices

DR. A. L. PLECKER, chiropractor, has moved his office from Cromack Building to Woolworth Building, Brownsville.

DR. D. C. ROUGEOU

DENTIST

209-210 Baxter Bldg.

HARLINGEN, TEXAS

Telephone—Harlingen 1467

17e. Travel Opportunities

ROOM FOR two passengers to Los Angeles. Good car. Leaving June 5. Call Biggs Auto Storage—771, Harlingen.

McALLEN REYNOSA BUS LINE

McALLEN to REYNOSA	
8:30 A.M.	2:00 P.M.
10:00 A.M.	4:00 P.M.
12:00 A.M.	6:00 P.M.
	8:00 P.M.
Saturday and Sunday	11:00 P.M.
REYNOSA to McALLEN	
7:50 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
9:00 A.M.	3:00 P.M.
11:00 A.M.	5.00 P.M.
	7:00 P.M.
Saturday and Sunday	11:30 P.M.

17f. Cafe and Hotels

WHITE KITCHEN

419 Twelfth Street

BUSINESS LUNCHES

Private dining room Serving the Valley for over ten years.

BROWNSVILLE

17. NOTICES

17e. Travel Opportunities

HAVE PRIVATELY owned cars listed for clubs, teachers, students, conventions. Anywhere. Room for two, San Angelo, 6 and 10. Share expenses basis. Box 64, Phone 9523, 600 West 9th street, Mission.

17f. Cafe and Hotels

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$2.50 PER WEEK

Guest Laundry Free!

MILNER HOTEL

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BROWNSVILLE

18. LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE.

The Commissioner's Court of Cameron County, Texas will convene and sit as a Board of Equalization on Monday the 13th day of May, A. D. 1940, at 10 o'clock A. M., to receive all the assessment lists and books of Ralph T. Agar, Tax Assessor-Collector of Cameron County, Texas, for the year 1940, for inspection, correction or equalization and approval.

R. D. Sago, Clerk of the County Court and ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of Cameron County, Texas.

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COTTON

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK—(AP)—Late buying of cotton futures stemmed declining tendencies Saturday and left final prices 2 points lower to 5 higher.

Most important weekend factor, brokers said, was the government weather forecast for generally fair conditions in cotton growing states, throughout next week. Above normal temperatures were rated favorable and attracted speculative and professional selling.

Last-minute demand from spot houses, however, outweighed the liquidation and prices of distant positions turned abruptly upward as offerings dwindled.

At the close, observers noted, prices were off more than a dollar a bale from mid-week largely, they said, because of favorable crop indications.

At the opening Saturday the market followed the lower prices set by Bombay and declined a few points on foreign and southern pressure.

Worth Street reported disappointing textile business for the week. Only limited sales were made to converters and little interest was shown by other sections of the trade. Underlying sentiment remained cheerful, nevertheless, and prices hld firm.

Exports Friday 34 bales; season so far 5,915,048. Port receipts 3,406; port stocks 2,661,367.

SPOT COTTON

GALVESTON—(AP)—Spot cotton closed steady, 2 down.

Low ordinary 7.14; ordinary 7.84; good ordinary 8.54; strict good ordinary 9.04; low middling 9.54; strict low middling 10.09; middling 10.54; strict middling 10.84; good middling 10.94; strict good middling 10.89; middling fair 11.04.

Sales, spots none; FOB 15.

MIDDLING COTTON

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—The average price of middling 15-16 inch cotton at 10 designated southern spot markets Saturday was 3 lower at 10.57 cents a pound. Average for the past 30 market days was 10.61. Middling ⅞ inch average was 10.39 cents a pound.

SPOT COTTON

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—Spot cotton closed quiet, 3 lower. Sales 7,21; low middling 9.70, Middling 10.70; good middling 11.15. Receipts 2,486, stock 668,120.

COTTON FUTURES

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—Cotton futures were quiet and irregular here Saturday. Closing prices were steady 3 points net lower to 1 higher.

	Open	High	Low	Close	
May	10.80	10.80	10.78	10.78N	..
July	10.31	10.52	10.50	10.50	— 3
Oct.	10.00	10.03	9.99	10.02	+ 1
Dec.	9.84	9.87	9.84	9.87	+ 1
Jan.	9.79B	....	....	9.81B	..
March	9.70	9.71	9.67	9.72B	..
May (1941)	9.30B	....	....	....	..

B—Bid; N—Nominal.

METALS

NEW YORK—(AP)—Copper steady; electrolytic spot, Conn. Valley, 11.12½-50; export FAS NY 11.10. Tin steady; spot and nearby 47.25; forward 47.00. Lead steady; spot, New York 5.10-15; East St. Louis 4.95. Zinc steady; East St. Louis spot and forward 5.75. Others unchanged.

BOSTON WOOL

BOSTON—(AP)—(U. S. D. A.)—The wool market in Boston during the past week was less active than in the previous week. The recent advances in prices that have been established on a few of the more active grades of domestic wools were maintained, but during the past week it became increasingly difficult to secure the advanced prices. Most of the limited volume of business was on wools that sell in the original bags without grading. Graded combing bright fleece wools were quoted mostly 33 to 34 cents, in the grease, for fine delaine, 34 to 35 cents for half bloods and 36 to 37 cents for three eighths and quarter bloods.

Court Records

HIDALGO COUNTY

Warranty Deeds

William Garrell et ux to J. A. Jautsch, Lot 1, Blk. 44 of the Alamo townsite.

Floyd D. Williamson et ux to J. L. Corbin, Farm Lot 15, Section 93 of Turner Tract, containing 40 acres.

Carricitos Oil Corporation to Floyd D. Williamson et ux, Farm Lot 15, Section 93 of Turner Tract containing 40 acres.

City of Edinburg to Kathryn McMillon, Lot 8, Blk. 191 of Edinburg.

Amado Delgado et ux to Apolinar Delgado, Lot 10, Blk. 158 of Edinburg.

Wells L. Springfield et ux to H. C. Alston, Lots 7, 8 and 9 of Jones Subdivision of Acre Blk. 154 of the Original townsite of Mercedes.

L. L. Rowan to Andrew Ostrum, A tract out of the S 10.45 acres of the N 35.45 acres of Lot 15, Section 275 Texas Mexican Railway Company's Survey.

George H. Young et ux to Fidelity Investment Company of McAllen, Inc., Lot 132 of Bentsen Groves.

Fidelity Investment Co. to George H. Young, The S ½ of Lot 318 and the N ½ of Lot 316 of Bentsen Groves Subdivision.

E. D. Mathis individually and as trustee to Albert Dillard Dean, Jr. Lot 2, Blk. 4 of Hampshire Homes Sub of McAllen.

Paradise

Mexican Fishing Said To Wow Angler

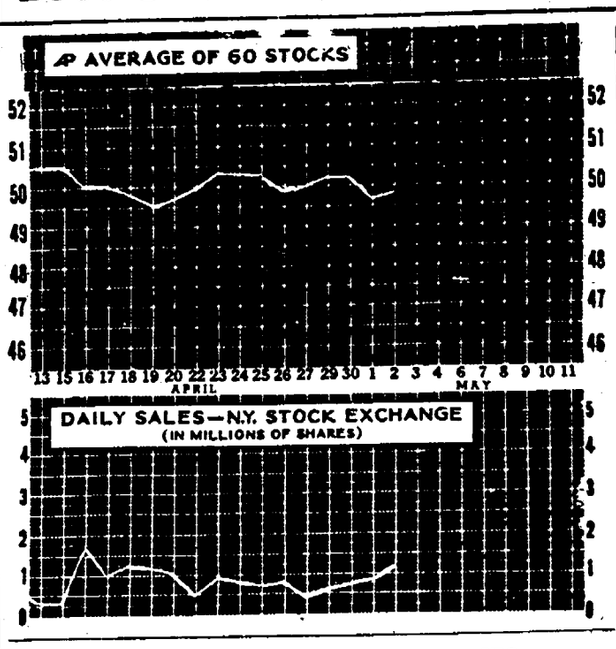
BROWNSVILLE—The fishing at Soto La Marina, Mexico, is continuing to attract American anglers, and hunting prospects appear better than ever.

J. H. Batsell, Brownsville, Saturday, received a letter from W. W. Searchy, Jr., New Braunfels, praising the Mexican fishing and hunting paradise.

Searcy said he's going back to Soto La Marina in June and November. The fishing, he explained, is "usually good, especially pike."

As for hunting, there's a "world of deer, turkey, ducks, quail, pigeons and cats," he added. He was one of a score of Americans visiting there recently. Reds and trout were also hooked.

DAY'S NEWS OF NATION'S MARKETS



FRUIT AND VEGETABLE MARKETS

VALLEY CARLOT SHIPMENTS FOR FRIDAY

Grapefruit 2, Beets 5, Beets and Carrots 9, Cabbage 1, Carrots 5, Green Corn 1, Potatoes 7, Mixed Vegetables 7, total 37 cars.

Totals to Date This Season by Rail and Boat: Grapefruit 11,204, Oranges 872, Mixed Citrus 903, Lemons 2, Mixed Fruit and Vegetables 123, Beans 3, Beets 508, Beets and Carrots 487, Broccoli 129, Cabbage 3190, Kraut Cabbage 35, Carrots 1066, Corn Green 1, Dandelion 2, Endive 11, Escarole 1, Frozen Beans 1, Frozen Peas 5, Frozen Vegetables 1, Greens 6, Lettuce 1, Onions 29, Parsley 133, Peas 107, Peppers 136, Potatoes 963, Radishes 26, Rhubarb 1, Spinach 18, Squash 2, Tomatoes 585, Mixed Vegetables 6490, total 27,041.

To the Same Date Last Season: Citrus Fruits 17044, Vegetables 11434, Mixed Fruit and Vegetables 84, total 28562 cars.

VALLEY TRUCK CITRUS SHIPMENTS FRIDAY

(12 Trucks)

Grapefruit: 80 lb Boxes 1940, Bushels 8. Oranges: 80 lb Boxes 407, Bushels 58.

Carlot Equiv May 3: Grapefruit 4.9, Oranges 1.1, Tangerines 0, total 6.0 cars.

Carlot Equiv to Date: Grapefruit 6397.5, Oranges 3971.4, Tangerines 113.1, total 10482.0 cars.

Carlot Equiv to Date Last Season: Grapefruit 4968.0, Oranges 4623.6, total 9592.6 cars.

FLORIDA TRUCK CITRUS SHIPMENTS REPORTED FOR FRIDAY

Carlot Equiv May 3: Grapefruit 7, Oranges 23, Tangerines 0, total 30 cars.

AVERAGE AUCTION PRICES OF GRAPEFRUIT SOLD AND UNREPORTED FRIDAY

CLEVELAND: Fla Marsh 1204 Boxes Gen Avg 2.47, High 2.57, Low 2.26.

Ariz Marsh 462 Boxes Gen Avg 2.62, Range 2.50 to 2.62.

NEW YORK: Texas Pinks 36 Boxes All sold at 2.45.

Fla Marsh 3080 Boxes Gen Avg 2.14, High 2.73, Low 1.65.

Fla Other 1110 Boxes Gen Avg 2.08, High 2.75, Low 1.66.

Fla Marsh 1110 wire Boxes Gen Avg 1.74, High 2.14, Low 1.43.

Fla Other 2070 wire Boxes Gen Avg 1.35, High 1.39, Low 91c.

HOUSTON PASSINGS OF TEXAS CITRUS REPORTED MAY 2 AND 3 FOR THE PREVIOUS 48 HOURS

May 2: Grapefruit: 3 St. Louis; 1 each Cleveland, Pittsburgh, Tulsa.

May 3: Grapefruit: 3 St. Louis; 1 Chicago.

LIVESTOCK

TEXAS LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Cattle, salable 150, total 350; calves, salable 50, total 200. Top beef steers 10.50, yearlings 11.00, heifers 10.50, practical top beef cows 7.00 and bulls 6.50.

Hogs, salable 200, total 350; top 6.00, packing sows steady at 4.75-5.00.

Sheep, salable 600, total 900; bulk medium to good spring lambs 8.00-8.25; clipped two year old wethers 6.00 down.

KANSAS LIVESTOCK

KANSAS CITY—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Hogs: Salable 35, total 35; not enough offered to test values; late top 5.85.

Cattle: Salable 75, total 125; calves salable 25, total 25; week's tops: Choice 1188 lb steers 11.40; choice 1434 lb weights 11.00; same price for choice heifers and mixed yearlings; good cows 8.00; practical top vealers 10.50; short yearling stockers 11.00; bulk fed steers 8.50-10.75; medium to choice stockers 8.50-10.50.

Sheep: Salable none, total 250; no wooled lambs or wooled sheep offered; choice closely sorted 74 lb-88 lb native springers 11.15; others mainly 10.75-11.00; bulk good to choice 75-86 lb Arizona springers 10.75-11.00; best 84 lb clipped lambs 9.35; good to choice Arizona shorn ewes 4.75.

DENVER LIVESTOCK

DENVER—(AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Cattle salable 50; total 150; beef steers steady to 15 lower at 8.50-10.15 flat and 9.00-11.25 freight paid; mixed yearlings 9.25-10.15; calves and vealers strong, best vealers 12.00-50; 500 lb heifers 9.65.

Hogs salable 60; total 1,200; quotations nominally steady; compared Friday last week, butchers and sows 35-40 lower; stock pigs steady to 25 lower.

Sheep salable 3,600; total 8,775; 6 loads good to choice fed wooled lambs 10.00-25 freight paid; 1 short load 9.75 flat; week's top California springers 11.00; week's top fed wooled 10.35 freight paid; bulk 10.0025 freight paid and 10.00-25 memo; fed shorn lambs 9.00-20 memo and 9.25 freight paid.

OKLAHOMA LIVESTOCK

OKLAHOMA CITY—(AP)—(U. S. D. A.)—Cattle salable and total, 100; calves 50; for the week: Beef steers and yearlings generally firm. Week's prices: beef steers few medium and good grades 8.00-10.00; good and choice yearlings 10.00-50; good yearling heifers 9.50-10.00; vealer top 10.00; stocker steer calves up to 11.00.

Hogs salable 125, total 200; late top to shippers and city butchers 6.00; packing sows 4.75-5.50; stock pigs 5.50-6.00.

Sheep, salable and total 800; for week: fat lambs steady to 25 higher; late top spring lambs 10.25; bulk good and choice lots 9.75-10.25; old crop wooled lambs 9.25 down; clippers 8.50; yearlings to 7.75; fat ewes to 4.00.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE MARKET

NEW YORK—(AP)—The foreign exchange market closed Saturday with lower prices for most currencies and considerable nervousness over possible weekend developments abroad.

Closing rates follow (Great Britain in dollars, others in cents.)

Canada

Official Canadian control board rates for U. S. dollars: buying 10 percent premium, selling 11 percent premium, equivalent to discounts on Canadian dollars in New York of buying 9.91 percent, selling 9.00 percent.

Canadian dollar in New York open market 15¾ percent discount or 84.25 U. S. cents.

Europe

Great Britain, demand 3.46¼, cables 3.47¼, 60 day 3.44¼, 90 day 3.43¼. Belgium 16.81, Denmark unquoted, Finland 1.80N, France 1.97, Germany 40.30N (benevolent) 16.80, Greece .68½, Hungary 17.65N, Italy 5.05, Netherlands 53.09, Norway unquoted, Portugal 3.50N, Rumania .55N, Sweden 23.83N, Switzerland 22.42½, Yugoslavia 2.34N.

Latin America

Argentina official 29.77, free 23.00, Brazil official 6.05, free 5.10; Mexico 16.75N.

Far East

Japan 28.46, Hongkong 21.66, Shanghai 4.80.

(Rates in spot cables unless otherwise indicated; N—Nominal).

FORT WORTH PASSINGS OF TEXAS CITRUS REPORTED MAY 4 FOR THE PREVIOUS 24 HOURS

Grapefruit: 1 Tulsa.

VEGETABLES

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR MAY 3

Lower Rio Grande Valley:

Carrots: Demand slow, market about steady. Straight and mixed cars f.o.b. usual terms; few sales, L. A. crates, 6 dozen bunches, $1.25-1.40, half crates, 4 dozen bunches mostly 85c; straight and mixed cars f.o.b. cash track: few, 75-85c. Top ice extra.

Beets: Demand slow, market slightly weaker. Half crates, 3 dozen bunches, straight and mixed cars f.o.b. usual terms 65-70c; straight and mixed cars f.o.b. cash track: 60-65c. Top ice extra.

Laredo District—Texas:

Onions: Heavy wire inquiry. Demand good, market steady. 50 lb sacks, US Commercial, 80% or more US No. 1 quality and US 1s, carloads f.o.b. usual terms: Yellow Bermudas, $1.85-1.95; carloads f.o.b. cash track: Yellow Bermudas $1.75, Crystal White Wax, in mixed cars, few, $2.00, Babosa, US 1s, 3 inch minimum, few, $2.00, 2½ inch minimum, few $1.75.

Coastal Bend—Texas:

Onions: Moderate wire inquiry. Demand moderate, market steady. Carloads f.o.b. cash track: few sales, Yellow Bermudas, US Commercial, 80% or more US No. 1 quality, $1.75, Yellow Boilers $1.00.

Winter Garden Section—Texas:

Onions: Good wire inquiry. Demand very good, market firm for Yellow Bermudas, stronger for other types. Carloads f.o.b. cash track and truckloads f.o.b. cash at shipping point: Yellow Bermudas US Commercial, 80% or more US No. 1 quality and US No. 1s $1.75; Yellow Boilers $1.00, Crystal White Wax, US No. 1s, $1.85-2.05, US Commercial, 80% or more US No. 1 quality, $1.90, Culls $1.35, Babosas, US 1s, large $2.00, medium $1.80.

Brawley, California.

Carrots: Demand slow, market slightly weaker. Carloads f.o.b. cash track: L. A. crates, 6 dozen bunches, few sales, $1.35-1.65, occasional car $1.75. Top ice extra.

Lower East Coast—Florida:

Tomatoes: Haulings light. Demand fair, market weaker. Carloads f.o.b. cash track and truckloads cash at packing houses: lugs, green, wrapped, 85% or more US No. 1 quality, 6x6 and larger, $3.50, 6x7s $3.00-3.25, 7x7s $2.50-2.75, mostly $2.25; 70-80% US No. 1 quality, 6-6 and larger, $3.00-3.25, 6x7s $2.50-2.75; US No. 2s, 6x6 and larger, $2.00-2.25, 6x7s $1.50-1.75.

POTATOES

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR FRIDAY

LOWER RIO GRANDE VALLEY: Demand very good, market slow stronger. Carloads f.o.b. cash track and truck loads cash at packing houses Bliss Triumphs washed 50 lb sacks US 1s 1.05, size B 75-80c, US 1s unwashed few 95c, Precooling $25 per car extra.

WASCO EDISON DISTRICT—CALIFORNIA: Haulings moderate. Demand moderate, market about steady. Carloads f.o.b. cash track: Long Whites 100 lb sacks US 1s 1.15-1.25, mostly 1.20-1.25, occasional few low as 1.10, size B 90c; 50 lb sacks US 1s size B 95c per cwt. Bliss Triumphs 100 lb sacks US 1s 1.60; 50 lb sacks 1.70 per cwt.

HASTINGS AND NEAREY POINTS—FLORIDA: Haulings increasing. Demand good, market slow stronger on Triumphs, firm on others. Carloads f.o.b. usual terms: Bliss Triumphs 100 lb sacks US 1s 1.60; 50 lb sacks 1.00, size 85c. Katahdins, Spaulding Rose-Double Head Barrels US 1s 3.00, size B 2.75; 100 lb sacks US 1s 1.80, size B 1.45; 50 lb sacks US 1s 85c, size B 75c. Bu Bkts US 1s 1.00, size B 90c.

HOUSTON PASSINGS OF TEXAS POTATOES REPORTED MAY 3 AND 4 FOR PAST 48 HOURS

Previously unreported: May 2: 15 St. Louis, 6 each Kansas City, Chicago, 1 each Memphis, Pittsburg Kansas, Atlanta, Tulsa, Oklahoma City, Cincinnati.

May 3: 13 St. Louis; 9 Chicago, 6 Kansas City, 2 Dallas, 1 each Cincinnati, Peoria, Oklahoma City, Tulsa, Wichita, Omaha.

HEARNE PASSINGS OF TEXAS POTATOES REPORTED MAY 3 FOR PAST 24 HOURS

1 Dallas, 1 Ft. Worth.

FORT WORTH PASSINGS OF TEXAS POTATOES REPORTED MAY 4 FOR PAST 24 HOURS

1 each St. Louis, Tulsa, Oklahoma City.

KANSAS CITY PASSINGS OF TEXAS POTATOES REPORTED MAY 4 FOR PAST 24 HOURS

1 each Des Moines, Salina, Wabash, Chicago.

SALES ON SATURDAY'S WHOLESALE MARKETS IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES

Unless otherwise stated quotations are on Bliss Triumphs US No. 1s

CINCINNATI: Texas 50 lb sacks washed 1.50-1.60, Size B 1.30-1.35.

FT. WORTH: Texas 50 lb sacks mostly 1.30-1.50, US 2s and Unclassified washed mostly .90-.95.

PITTSBURGH: Texas 50 lb sacks washed 1.25, Florida bu crts washed 1.40-1.50, Size B 1.00-1.15.

CHICAGO: Track Sales Less Carlots: Texas 50 lb sacks washed 1.50-1.55, Size B 1.25.

DETROIT: Texas 50 lb sacks washed 1.25-1.50, Florida bu crts washed 1.40-1.60.

KANSAS CITY: Texas 50 lb sacks washed 1.40-1.50, unwashed 1.30-1.40.

CLEVELAND: Texas 50 lb sacks washed 1.60-1.65, Size B 1.25-1.40.

ST. LOUIS: Texas 50 lb sacks washed 1.45-1.50, unwashed 1.25-1.40, Size B washed 1.10.

Carlot Track Sales: (late Fri.) Texas 50 lb sacks washed 2 cars 2.00, 4 cars 1.40.

ST. LOUIS PASSINGS OF TEXAS POTATOES REPORTED MAY 4 FOR PAST 24 HOURS

13 Chicago, 1 each Cincinnati, Dayton, Indianapolis.

STOCK LIST

Trade in 100	High	Low	Close
Al Chm&Dye 2	179	179	179
Allis Ch Mfg 7	33¾	33	33
Am Rad&St S 3	8	8	8
Am Roll Mill 6	15	14¾	14¾
Am Smelt&R 3	49¼	48¾	48¾
Am Tel&Tel 5	174¼	173¾	174
Am Wat Wks 7	10	9¾	10
Am Woolen 1	10¼	10¼	10¼
Am Zinc L&S 3	7	6¾	7
Anaconda 4	29¼	29¼	29¼
Atch T&SF 4	22¼	21¾	21¾
Atl Refin 64	25¼	24¾	24¾
Aviation Corp 25	7¼	7¼	7¼
Barnsdall Oil 9	11¼	11	11
Bendix Aviat 2	33¾	33¾	33¾
Beth Steel 37	85	83½	84
Borden 1	23¾	23¾	23¾
Budd Wheel 3	5¾	5½	5½
Ch'han Z-Lead 6	1¼	1¼	1¼
Cerro de Pas 4	36	35½	35½
C-Teed Prod 3	6¾	6½	6¾
Chrysler Corp 8	86¾	85¾	85¾
Colum G&El 35	6¾	6½	6¾
Coml Solv 10	14¼	14¼	14¼
Cmwlth&Sou 18	1¼	1¼	1¼
Consol Oil 48	7½	7¼	7¼
Cont Can 4	45¾	45½	45½
Cont Oil Del 7	23¾	23¾	23¾
Corn Prod 3	59¾	59¾	59¾
Curtis Wri 120	10¾	10¾	10¾
Douglas Aire 12	90	89½	89¾
Du Pont De N 14	187	186½	186½
El Auto L'te 12	40	39¼	39¼
El Pow&Lt 18	5¾	5¾	5¾
Freeport Siph 2	37½	37	37
Gen Elec 23	36¾	36¼	36¼
Gen Foods 10	49	48¾	49
Gen Motors 9	54¾	54¼	54¾
Goodrich 5	16½	16½	16¼
Gdyear 3	20¾	20¾	20¾
Gt Nth Ry Pf 3	26½	26¼	26½
Houd Hersh B 1	14¾	14¼	14¼
Houston Oil 5	6	5¾	5¾
Howe Sound 4	43¼	42	43¼
Hudson Mot 2	5¾	5¾	5¾
Hupp Motor 4	⅝	⅝	⅝
Int Harvest 4	57	56¾	57
Johns Manv 2	70½	70	70
Kenne Cop 13	34½	34¾	34½
Lockheed Aire 9	38¼	37¾	38¼
Loews Inc 4	34	33½	33¾
Lorillard 10	24¾	24¾	24¾
Mid Cont Pet 19	16¼	15¾	16¼
Mo Kan Tex 1	¾	¾	¾
Montg Ward 83	45¾	45	45¼
Nash Kelvin 13	5¾	5¾	5

Screen Calendar NEWS OF LATEST MOTION PICTURES Advance Films

Sensational New Star Seen In Musical Film

Gloria Jean Co-Starred With Crosby In 'If I Had My Way' Booked For Capitol Theatre Sunday, Monday

BING CROSBY shares honors with his youngest co-star, little Gloria Jean, in the new musical hit "If I Had My Way," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville and at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito, Friday and Saturday.

Gay tunes are enlivened by duet arrangements for Crosby and Gloria that are particularly effective. And with the addition of a clever supporting cast and an excellent screen play, "If I Had My Way" is altogether an appealing film.

Crosby appears as a steelworker, one of a trio of pals that include El Brendel and Donald Woods. Gloria is the daughter of Woods, and when the father is killed in a bridge accident Crosby and Brendel take her to New York to live with relatives.

Complications ensue when Brendel generously buys a bankrupt cafe from a friend, and the story then concerns itself with the problems of the three comrades in making the business pay.

As always, Crosby's easy presence lends enjoyment to his performance, and makes it one of the best in his long string of successful pictures. Gloria Jean, hailed as a major screen discovery after her debut in "The Under-Pup," has a childish charm that is utterly captivating. In several dramatic and comedy scenes she proves that her talents as an actress have not been overestimated.

DAPHNE DU MAURIER'S 'REBECCA' IS FILM HIT

BASED ON THE popular, best-selling Daphne du Maurier novel, the screen production of "Rebecca" is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen.

Laurence Olivier and Joan Fontaine appear in the principal starring roles, while the featured cast includes Reginald Denny, Judith Anderson, George Sanders, C. Aubrey Smith, Gladys Cooper, Florence Bates and Nigel Bruce.

The story concerns a young and unsophisticated girl who becomes the bride of the wealthy and socially prominent Maxim de Winter. When they return to live on his vast Tudor estate, Manderley, the second wife learns, to her horror, that her life is being dominated by the *past of* Rebecca, Maxim's first wife, a very beautiful woman, who fascinated all who knew her.

Furthermore, the memory of Rebecca is kept alive by Mrs. Danvers, de Winter's housekeeper, played by Judith Anderson. Mrs. Danvers resents the second Mrs. de Winter and does everything in her power to harrow her. After an elaborate ball given at Manderley, the story moves swiftly to a smash climax, stunning in its surprise.

'PINOCCHIO' IS FULL-LENGTH CARTOON FEATURE

WALT DISNEY'S full-length cartoon feature "Pinocchio," is to be seen currently, Sunday and Monday at both the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito and the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco.

Filmed entirely in technicolor the story tells of the little wooden boy who wanted to be a real boy but found that he had to fulfill certain requirements before his wish would be granted. The musical score in the film has some of the favorite hit tunes of the day and the voices of the characters include some of the screen's famous names.

Among these will be Cliff Edwards, Evelyn Venable, Walter Catlett, Frankie Darro, Charles Judels and the new discovery, Dickey Jones who is the voice of Pinocchio himself.

POPULAR STARS SEEN IN 'PRIMROSE PATH'

GINGER ROGERS and Joel McCrea share co-starring honors in the screen adaptation of the sensational stage play "Primrose Path," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Palace Theatre in McAllen.

The story tells of a girl who disowned her dissolute family and of a boy who didn't know what real love was until he lost it. Hungry for affection, the girl meets a young man who runs a hamburger stand and marries him without letting him know the ugly truth about her parents and her home.

Their brief happiness is shattered when the girl, aware that her husband will learn the facts for himself sooner or later, brings the boy and the family together. Feeling that she tricked him into marrying into a group of parasites, the boy tries to put her out of his life, but he learns that it isn't so easy to do. The conflict of their hurt pride with their very real need for one another makes for the taut drama of the conclusion.

'JOHNNY APOLLO' IS ROMANTIC DRAMA

NOT SINCE "Jesse James" has Tyrone Power had such a draamtic role as in "Johnny Apollo," in which he shares co-starring honors with Dorothy Lamour.

When the story opens Power is an idealistic college man, but he doesn't remain that long. For when the banker father he idolized (Edward Arnold) is sent to prison for embezzlement, the boy's whole world crashes about his ears.

Spurned by his wealthy friends, broke and unable to get a job because of the stigma against his name, the young man assumes an alias, "Johnny Apollo," and joins the mob of Mickey Dwyer, played by Lloyd Nolan. It is here that Johnny meets "Lucky" Dubarry, Mickey's girl, who understands and loves Johnny—regardless.

He also meets Judge Brennan, a tippling ex-judge turned underworld lawyer, who boasts a talent for "springing" his clients from jail.

The boy works tirelessly to help free the father, who has turned against him because of his underworld connections, and the story works up to one of the most thrilling climaxes in screen history.

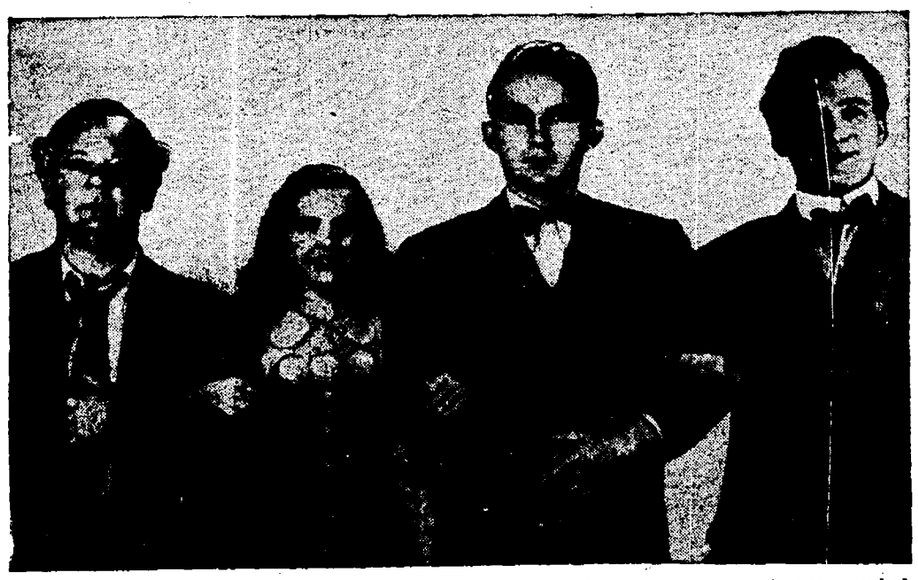
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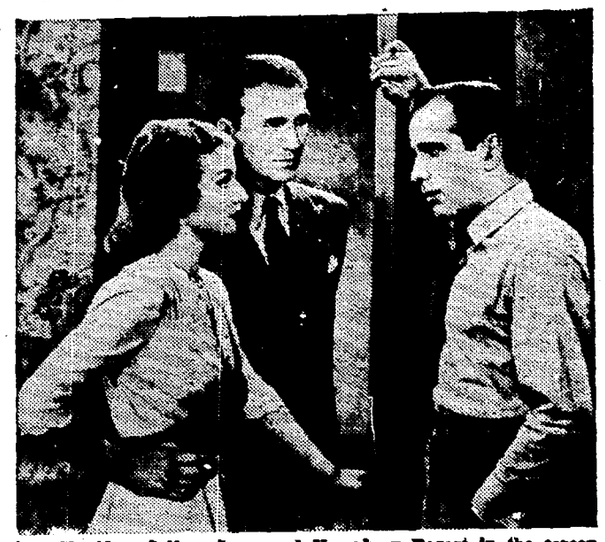
Laurence Olivier and Joan Fontaine co-starred in the picturization of Daphne du Maurier's popular best-selling novel "Rebecca," booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen.



Charles Winninger, Gloria Jean, Bing Crosby and El Brendel co-starred in the screen's new musical comedy drama, "If I Had My Way," for current showing Sunday and Monday at the Capitol Theatre in Brownsville and at the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito, Friday and Saturday.



Walt Disney's newest cartoon character "Pinocchio" seen in the title role of is full-length feature of the same title which is booked for current showing Sunday and Monday at both the Rivoli Theatre in San Benito and the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco.



Ann Sheridan, Jeffrey Lynn and Humphrey Bogart in the screen dramatization of Louis Bromfield's "It All Came True," booked for showing Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen; Tuesday and Wednesday at the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco and at the State Theatre in Mercedes, Thursday and Friday.

ANN SHERIDAN MOVIE BOOKED

Oomph Girl Starred In New Film

Ann Sheridan, the red-headed Texan dynamo who has become the screen's most outstanding feminine personality, combines "oomph" with dramatic fire in the starring role of Louis Bromfield's "It All Came True," booked for showing Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at the Arcadia Theatre in Harlingen; Tuesday and Wednesday at the Ritz Theatre in Weslaco and at the State Theatre in Mercedes, Wednesday and Thursday.

With the quaintness, charm and dramatic suspense of the Bromfield novel, "It All Came True" tells the story of a group of people who live in a New York boarding house run by two sentimental old women, using it as a refuge where they can fight off the reality of the present and dwell in the fond memories of the past. The complacent atmosphere of the house is shattered when the housekeeper's son, Jeffrey Lynn, returns home with a gangster, played by Humphrey Bogart, who is so won over by the motherly ministrations he receives that he offers to straighten out the financial difficulties of the boarding house by converting it into a night club with a "Gay Nineties" background. From there the story works up to a surprise climax.

VALLEY SCREEN CALENDAR

CAPITOL THEATRE, BROWNSVILLE

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Bing Crosby and Gloria Jean in "If I Had My Way" with El Brendel, Charles Winninger and Claire Dodd.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: David Niven and Olivia De Havilland in Samuel Goldwyn's "Raffles" with Dudley Digges and Dame Mary Whitty.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Tyrone Power and Dorothy Lamour in "Johnny Apollo" with Edward Arnold, Lloyd Nolan and Charley Grapewin.

QUEEN THEATRE, BROWNSVILLE

SUNDAY ONLY: Joe E. Brown in "Beware Spooks" with Mary Carlisle.
MONDAY, TUESDAY: Norma Shearer, Joan Crawford and Rosalind Russell in "The Women" with Paulette Goddard and Marjorie Main.
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Stan Laurel and Oliver Hardy in "The Flying Deuces" with Jean Parker.
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Ken Maynard in "In Old Santa Fe" with Gene Autry, Smiley Burnette, George "Gabby" Hays and Evelyn Knapp.

RIVOLI THEATRE, SAN BENITO

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Walt Disney's full feature length cartoon "Pinocchio." Filmed in Multiplane Technicolor.
TUESDAY ONLY: Robert Cummings and Laraine Day in "And One Was Beautiful" with Jean Muir and Billie Burke.
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: David Niven and Olivia De Havilland in Samuel Goldwyn's "Raffles" with Dudley Digges and Dame May Whitty.
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Bing Crosby and Gloria Jean in "If I Had My Way" with El Brendel, Charles Winninger and Claire Dodd.

ARCADIA THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Joan Fontaine and Laurence Olivier in Daphne Du Maurier's "Rebecca" with George Sanders and Judith Anderson.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Ann Sheridan, Jeffrey Lynn and Humphrey Bogart in Louis Bromfield's "It All Came True" with Zazu Pitts, Una O'Connor and John Litel.
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Thomas Mitchell and Freddie Bartholomew in "The Swiss Family Robinson" with Edna Best, Tim Holt and John Wray.

RIALTO THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY ONLY: William Gargan and June Lang in "Isle Of Destiny" with Wallace Ford. Filmed in new Cosmocolor.
MONDAY, TUESDAY: Weaver Brothers and Elviry in "In Old Missouri" with Thurston Hall and Loretta Weaver.
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Pat O'Brien and Ruth Terry in "Slightly Honorable" with Edward Arnold, Broderick Crawford and Patricia Ellis.
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Tex Ritter and Susan Dale in "Rhythm of the Rio Grande."

STRAND THEATRE, HARLINGEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Douglas Fairbanks, Jr. and Joan Bennett in "Green Hell" with Charles Bancroft, George Sanders and Alan Hale.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: James Stewart and Margaret Sullavan in "The Shop Around The Corner" with Frank Morgan and Joseph Schildkraut.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY: Ann Sothern and John Carroll in "Congo Maisie" with Rita Johnson.
SATURDAY ONLY: Spanish Dialogue Films.

STATE THEATRE, MERCEDES

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Tyrone Power and Dorothy Lamour in "Johnny Apollo" with Edward Arnold, Lloyd Nolan and Charley Grapewin.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Madeleine Carroll and Brian Aherne in "My Son, My Son" with Louis Hayward, Laraine Day and Henry Hull.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY: Ann Sheridan, Jeffrey Lynn and Humphrey Bogart in Louis Bromfield's "It All Came True" with Zazu Pitts and John Litel.
SATURDAY ONLY: Charles Starrett and Lorna Grey in "Bullets For Rustlers" with the Sons of The Pioneers.

RITZ THEATRE, WESLACO

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Walt Disney's full feature length cartoon "Pinocchio." Filmed in Multiplane Technicolor.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Ann Sheridan, Jeffrey Lynn and Humphrey Bogart in Louis Bromfield's "It All Came True" with Zazu Pitts and John Litel.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY: Madeleine Carroll and Brian Aherne in "My Son, My Son" with Louis Hayward, Loraine Day and Henry Hull.
SATURDAY ONLY: Roy Rogers as "Young Buffalo Bill" with George "Gabby" Hayes and Constance Moore.

PALACE THEATRE, McALLEN

SUNDAY, MONDAY: Ginger Rogers and Joel McCrea in "Primrose Path" with Marjorie Rambeau, Miles Mander and Henry Travers.
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY: Priscilla Lane and Dennis Morgan in "Three Cheers For The Irish" with Alan Hale and Thomas Mitchell.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY: Tyrone and Dorothy Lamour in "Johnny Apollo" with Edward Arnold, Lloyd Nolan and Charley Grapewin.

QUEEN THEATRE, McALLEN

SUNDAY ONLY: Charles Bickford and Doris Day in "Thou Shalt Not Kill" with Owen Davis, Jr.
MONDAY, TUESDAY: Pat O'Brien and Olympa Bradna in "The Night of Nights" with Roland Young.
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY: Gary Cooper and David Niven in "The Real Glory" with Andrea Leeds and Kay Johnson.
FRIDAY, SATURDAY: George O'Brien in "The Bullet Code" with Virginia Vale.

QUEEN BROWNSVILLE
SUNDAY ONLY
JOE E. BROWN IN "BEWARE SPOOKS" WITH MARY CARLISLE

RIALTO HARLINGEN
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WILLIAM GIRGAN IN "ISLE OF DESTINY" WITH JUNE LANG FILMED IN COLOR

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SUNDAY-MONDAY
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The secret of another woman ... darkened their love!
David O. Selznick presents Daphne du Maurier's
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STARTS TUESDAY ANN SHERIDAN IN "IT ALL CAME TRUE" with JEFFREY LYNN HUMPHREY BOGART
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A ROLLICKING ROMANCE! Her first kiss opened a new world to this girl from the wrong side of town that she never dared dream could be hers!
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CAPITOL BROWNSVILLE
SUNDAY MONDAY
A MUSICAL SENSATION! That Melody Man is here with the screen's new Little Starlet .... glorious Gloria Jean of "The Under-Pup" fame!
BING Crosby GLORIA Jean
IF I HAD MY WAY
CHARLES WINNINGER EL BRENDEL Donald WOODS
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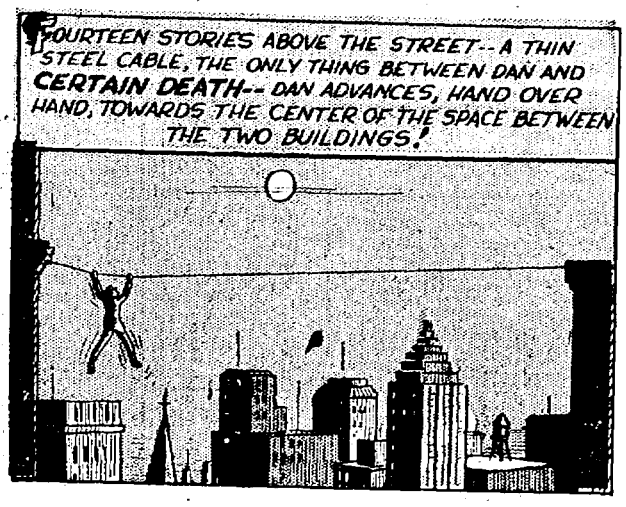
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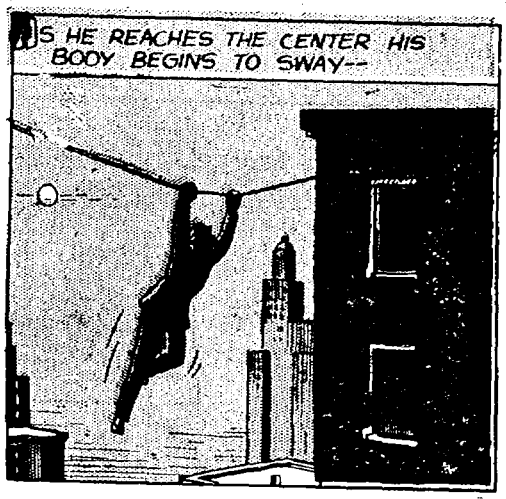
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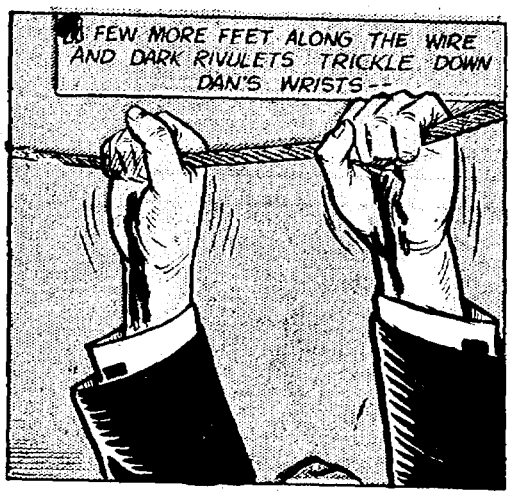
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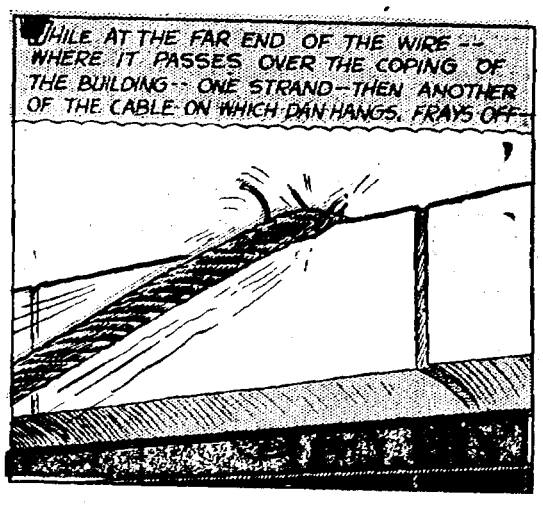










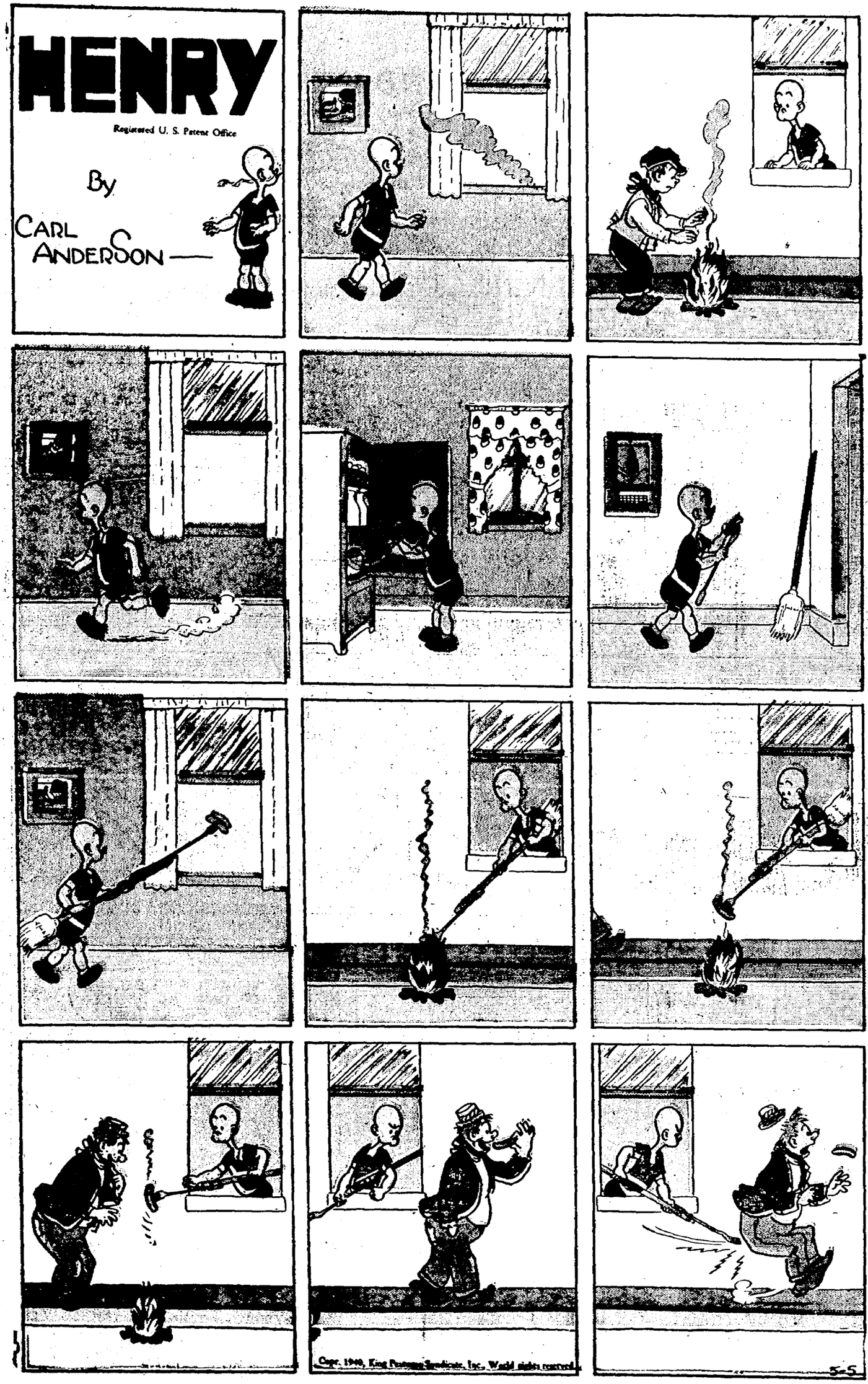











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SUNDAY, MAY 5, 1940

CAPTAIN EASY BY ROY CRANE

AFTER A FORCED LANDING IN A FIELD OF CACTUS, WASH AND EASY ARE CAPTURED BY TWO RUFFIANS, THROWN INTO A PIT TO STARVE. A GIRL APPEARS. SHE, TOO, IS A CAPTIVE. THE MEN, SHE EXPLAINS, ARE COUNTERFEITERS. JUST AS THE THREE ARE ABOUT TO ESCAPE, A NOISE IS HEARD

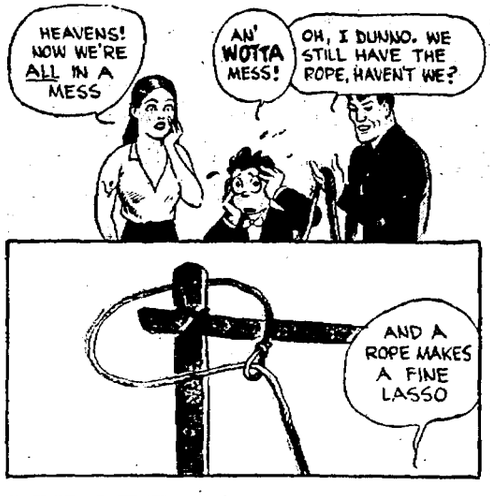






















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ALLEY OOP

NOW IF I COULD JUST MEET UP WITH THE HUSSY WHO TOOK MY REVOLVER ... BUT NO MATTER, I'LL FIX THAT AMAZON QUEEN ANY-WAY!

MEANWHILE, UNAWARE OF OOOLA'S ESCAPE, DOCTOR BRONSON, 20TH CENTURY SCIENTIST, WHO HAS BEEN CHOSEN TO WED THE QUEEN OF THE AMAZONS, DISCUSSES WITH ALLEY OOP THE CEREMONY THAT IS TO TAKE PLACE AT DAWN

YEH, DOC, I KNOW IT'S SERIOUS, BUT UNLESS YOU WANT ME TO STRONG-ARM THESE GUARDS, I DUNNO WHAT WE CAN DO ABOUT IT

NO, ALLEY, EVEN IF WE COULD CONTRIVE A GET-AWAY, WE STILL HAVE OOOLA TO CONSIDER... THEY'VE GOT HER LOCKED UP SOMEWHERE

OUR BEST BET IS FOR ME TO GO THROUGH WITH THIS ABSURD MARRIAGE TO THE AMAZON QUEEN. . .AND HOPE FOR A CHANCE OF ESCAPE LATER.!

SO...WE MIGHT AS WELL TURN IN AND GET SOME SLEEP

GOOD GOSH, DOC!! HEY, WHAT TH... ?

EH? WHAT'S THE MATTER? OH! I FORGOT YOU'D NEVER SEEN FALSE TEETH BEFORE-- HEH! HEH!

FALSE TEETH? Y'MEAN YOU CAN TAKE YER TEETH OUT ANY TIME YOU WANT TO?

WHY, CERTAINLY! YOU SEE, ALLEY, PEOPLE WHO WEAR FALSE TEETH ALWAYS REMOVE THEM BEFORE RETIRING

WELL, I'LL BE..!!

HAW HAW HAW HAW HAW

DOC! I'VE GOT IT!!

YES? WELL, WHAT IS THIS IT THAT YOU'VE GOT?

LISTEN... YOU KNOW NO YOUNG GAL, QUEEN OR NOT, WOULD MARRY AN OL' DUFFER WITHOUT TEETH, WOULD SHE? NO, SIR! QUICK, PUT 'EM BACK IN YOUR MOUTH.....

HEY, GUARDS!

BY GEORGE, I BELIEVE YOU'VE GOT SOMETHING THERE!

SAY! WHAT GOES ON IN HERE? WHY ALL THIS YELLING?

TH' BRIDEGROOM HAS GOTTA SEE TH' QUEEN... AN' UNLESS YOU TAKE US THERE NOW, HE'LL SPIT OUT HIS TEETH!

PHOOEY! NO ONE BUT A MAGICIAN COULD DO THAT!

OKAY! I WARNED YOU--NOW SEE WHAT YOU'VE DONE

GREAT ZEUS!

WE'D BETTER TAKE HIM TO HER MAJESTY BEFORE THE DOPE UNSCREWS HIS HEAD OR SOMETHING!

YOU SAID IT!

PHOO!

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HAH! WHO SAYS OL' OOP AIN'T TH' BRAINY BOY, EH?

WELL, ALL I HOPE IS THAT BRAIN OF YOURS DOESN'T CHECK OUT WHEN THE GOING GETS TOUGH!

CHAPTER 2

HAW HAW HAW HAW HAW HAW! GRRRR

GRRRRAAH!!

WHACK!

TO BE CONTINUED

RAINBO IS good BREAD For WOMEN

NOPE! NOT HERE

NOPE ?

NOPE

SPLENDID! NOW WE CAN PLAY OFF THAT CHECKER CHAMPIONSHIP

OKAY! HEY, OPAL, WHERE'S BOOTS AN' "SHUCK"?

I SAW HIS JALOPY OUT FRONT

THEY WENT FO' A WALK OUAH IN DE PARK

I BET IT WAS HER IDEA, 'CAUSE HE'D MEBBE WANNA TAKE HER TO A MOUIE OR GO FO' A RIDE! AN' SHE KNOWS HE'S FLAT BUSTED BROKE AN' CAIN'T AFFORD NOTHIN'! SHE SHO AM DE SWEETEST, MOST HELPFULEST GAL

COME ON IN THE HOUSE, SHUCK... WE'LL SEE WHAT WE CAN FIND TO EAT

WAIT! WHAT'S THAT ON MY CAR ..... ??

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?

A PARKING TICKET!!! AWWW...

Babe 'n Horace

BY

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BOY! OH, BOY!

'TAIN'T GONNA BE LONG NOW

H'LO

H'LO, HON! SAY, WHERE'RE MY GOLF THINGS?

IN THE CLOTHES PRESS

I THINK I'LL GET IN A LITTLE PRACTICE

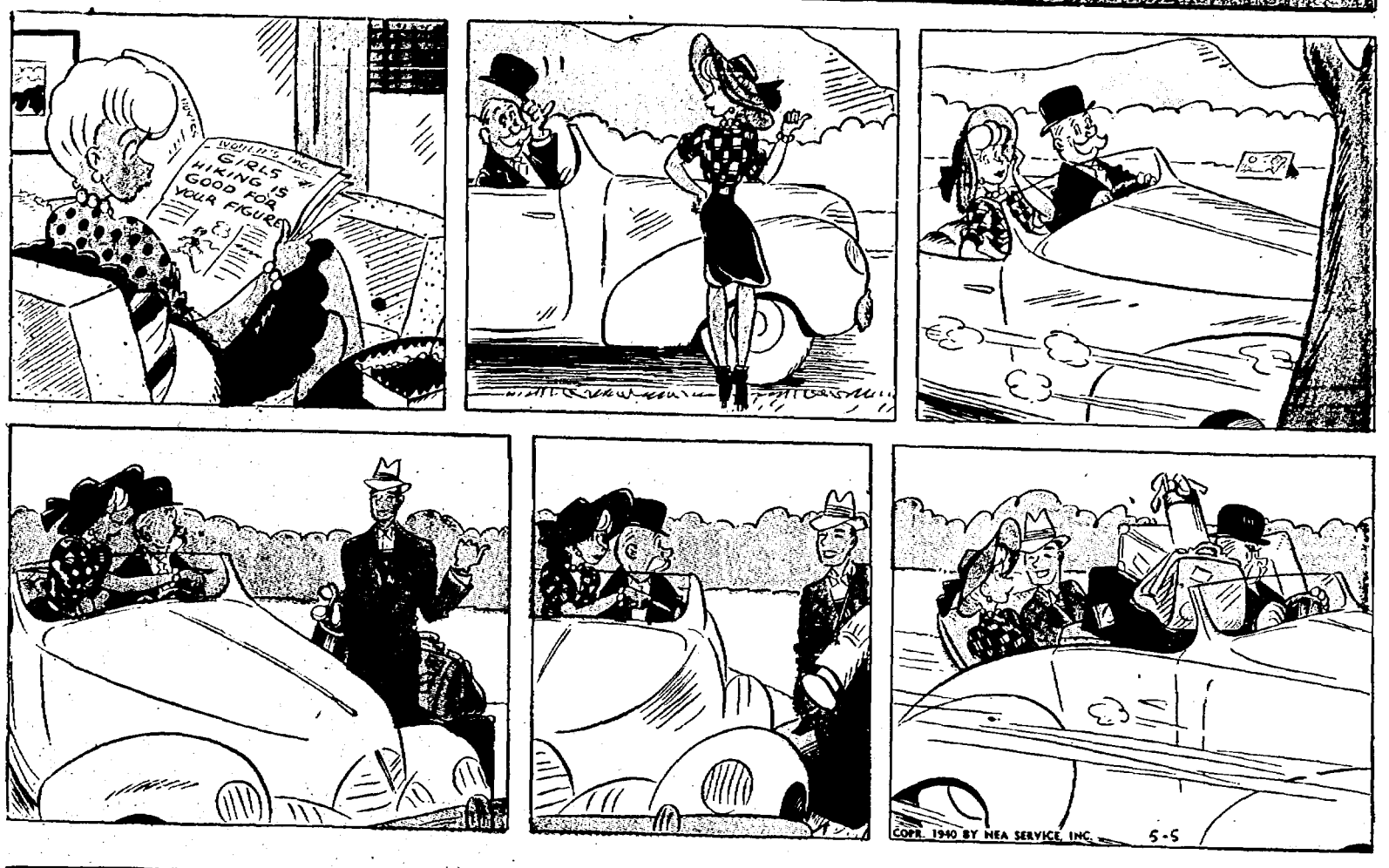
HEY, WHERE'S MY BALL?

WELL, YOU'RE IN MIDSEASON FORM... OFF THE FAIRWAY BEFORE YOU EVEN MAKE YOUR FIRST DRIVE!

BOOTS CUT-OUT

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Brenda Breeze



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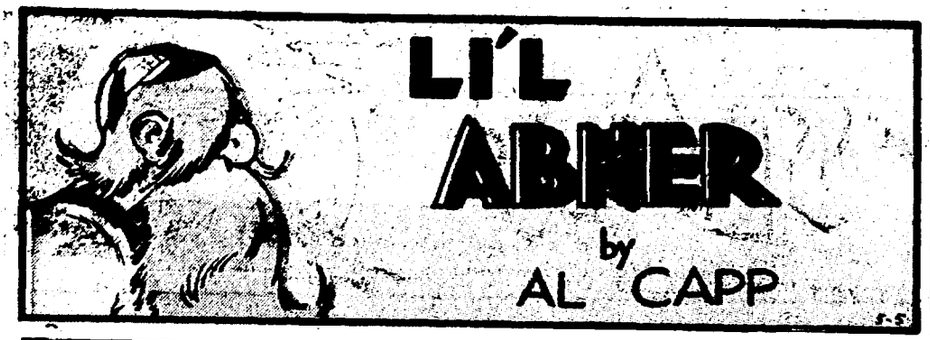


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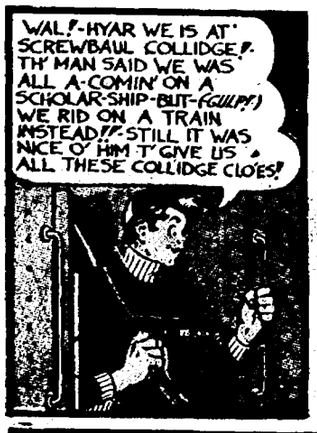
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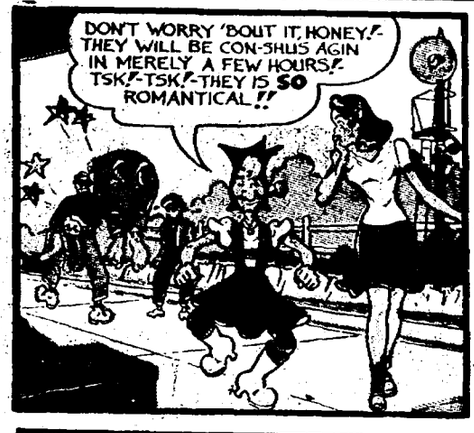
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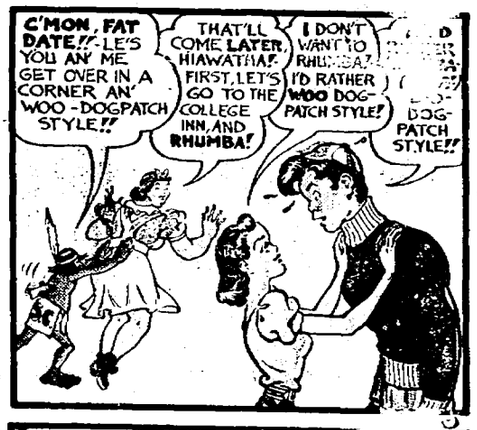


















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MARY WORTH'S FAMILY

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SKY'S HELPIN' ME!

WHY DO PEOPLE 'PRINKLE FLOWERS, DENNIE?

TO MAKE 'EM **GROW**, SUNNY! THE MORE WATER YOU PUT ON 'EM, THE **BIGGER** THEY GET!

I'M GONNA 'PRINKLE THESE TILL THEY GET BIGGER'N **ME**, I BETCHA!

♪ OH, HOW DO YOU DO, MRS. WORTH! MAY I HAVE A MOMENT OF YOUR TIME?

WELL, I'M VERY BUSY CLEANING HOUSE--BUT COME ON IN!

I'M REPRESENTING THE "*KIDDIE'S CULTURE CLUB*", A GROUP UNSELFISHLY DEVOTED TO HELPING BRING OUT THE BEST IN THESE PRECIOUS LITTLE SOULS CONFIDED TO OUR CARE···

YOU SEE, OUR THEORY IS THAT THERE ARE NO REALLY **NAUGHTY** CHILDREN--IF THEIR LITTLE MINDS ARE KEPT WHOLESOMELY OCCUPIED!

WHY IS THE LADY'S **HAT** SO **LITTLE**, GRAN'MA?

SO THE OBJECT OF THE "*KIDDIE'S CULTURE CLUB*" IS TO CAUSE EACH TINY PERSONALITY TO **UNFOLD** LIKE A ROSE-BUD··· NOW, IN THIS SET OF VOLUMES ON CHILD TRAINING, WE···

IN OTHER WORDS, YOU'RE A **BOOK AGENT**? I'M SORRY, BUT I CAN'T GIVE YOU ANY MORE TIME!

OF COURSE, IF YOU'RE NOT **INTERESTED** IN THE **WELFARE** OF THESE SWEET LITTLE **ANGELS**, I···

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WHY WAS THE LADY **MAD**, GRAN'MA? DIDN'T SHE WANT HER HAT TO GROW **BIGGER**?

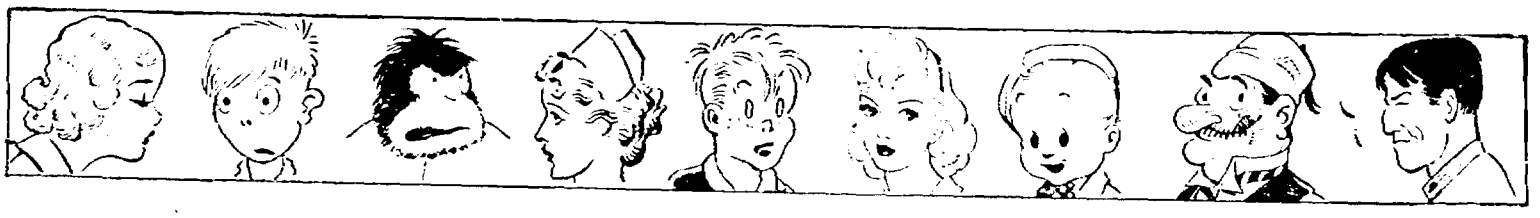
I S'POSE I REALLY OUGHT TO SPANK YOU, SUNNY, BUT I'M NOT GOING TO!

THIMBLE THEATRE :-: Starring POPEYE

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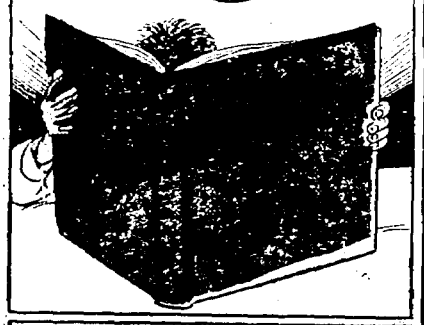


THIS CURIOUS WORLD

WHEN A BLACKBERRY IS *RED*, WE SAY IT'S *GREEN*

WHEN WE UNTIE A KNOT, WE *LOOSEN* IT! WE DO THE SAME THING WHEN WE *UNLOOSEN* ONE.





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WE GET A FEVER AND OUR TEMPERATURE GOES *UP* ...AND WE SAY WE HAVE A *COLD*.





WHEN WE BUILD A HOUSE WE *RAISE* IT...AND WE *RAZE* IT WHEN WE TEAR IT DOWN.

IF WE SHOOT BELOW PAR IN GOLF, THAT'S GOOD! IF WE *FEEL* BELOW PAR, THAT'S BAD.

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A *BOMB* BRINGS ON PAIN AND SUFFERING! A *BALM* EASES PAIN.

FRECKLES AND FRIENDS

by Gross

SON, ARE YOU SURE YOU DIDN'T TAKE THEM?

HONEST, POP! I GOT THEM BY TRADING!

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THIS CAME FROM HIGHWAY 44! WHERE DID YOU GET IT?

I TRADED A KID A KNIFE FOR IT!

DETOUR

STOP

AND THIS ONE...IT'S FROM THE BIJOU THEATRE!

THAT'S NEWS TO ME... I GAVE A KID AN ECUADOR STAMP FOR IT!

WALK, DON'T RUN TO NEAREST EXIT

HOW ABOUT THAT ONE?

LARD SMITH GAVE IT TO ME FOR AN OLD INNER TUBE!

DANGEROUS CURVES AHEAD

I SUPPOSE YOU GOT THAT IN A TRADE, TOO!

NO LOITERING HERE PLEASE

YEAH...I GAVE NUTTY COOK AN OCARINA FOR IT.

WHAT'S IN THERE?

NOT A THING... I'M NOT HIDING ANYTHING IN THERE! HONEST!

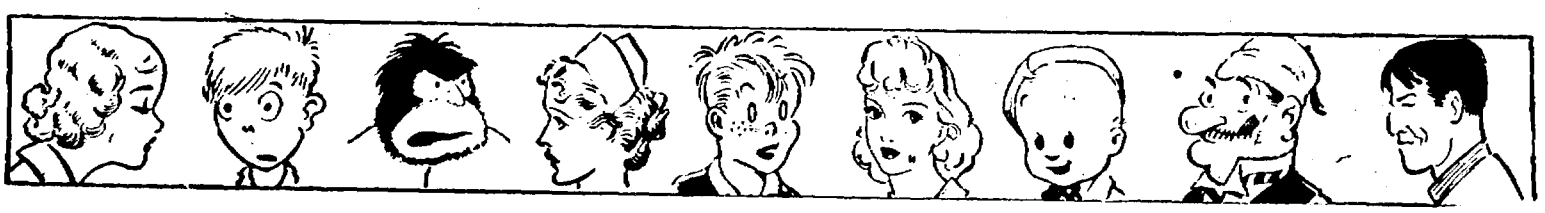
KEEP OUT

WELL, I'M GONNA FIND OUT! AND YOU CAN BE THINKING UP SOMETHING TO TELL ME WHERE THIS ONE CAME FROM!

THAT LAST SIGN YOU READ ISN'T MINE... POP GOT IT FROM A HARDWARE STORE!!

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OUR BOARDING HOUSE

MAJOR HOOPLE

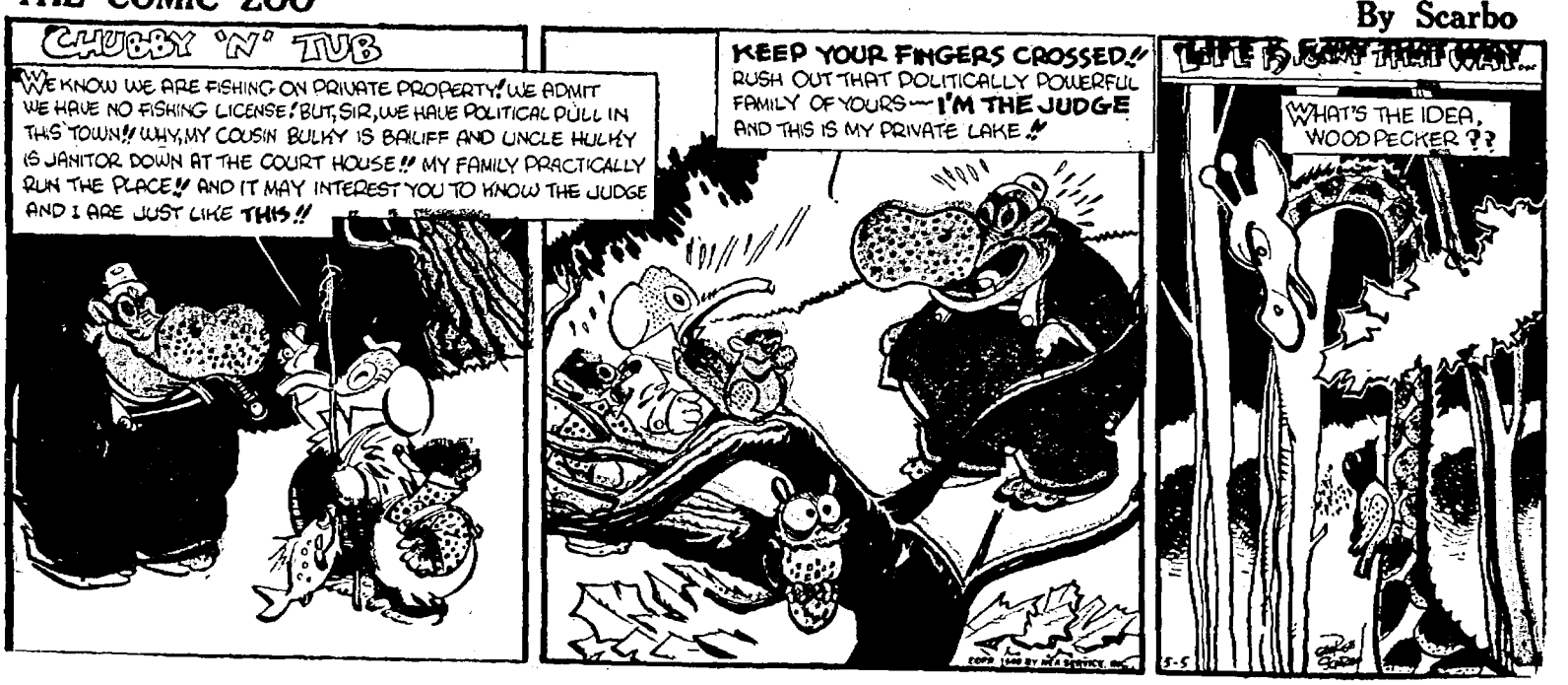


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THE COMIC ZOO

By Scarbo



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Myra North

AND THE MYSTIC DRAGON

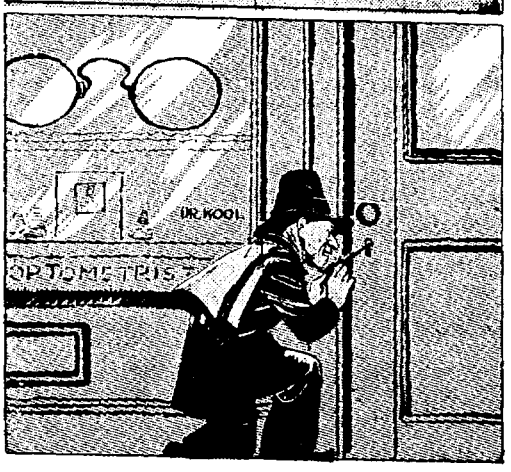
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PROF. ZERO HAS STOLEN THE JEWELED EYES OF THE MYSTIC DRAGON FROM DR. WU'S PENTHOUSE, BUT IN MAKING HIS GETAWAY, THE STRANGE LITTLE MAN LEFT A DAMAGING BIT OF EVIDENCE--

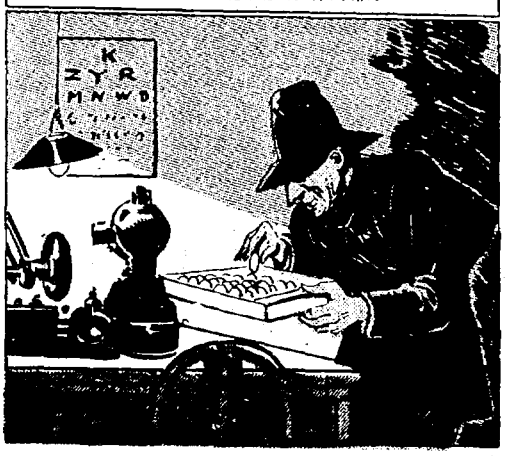




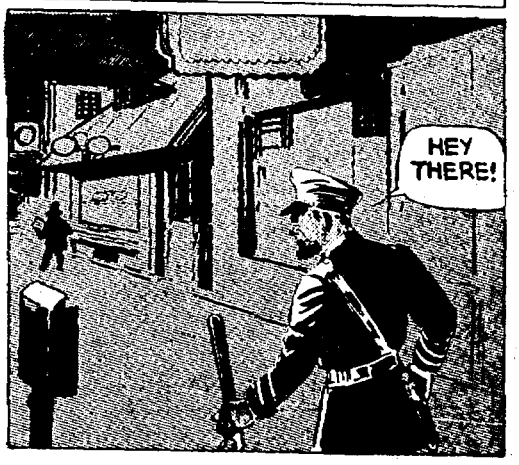
BUT AT THAT VERY MOMENT, ZERO GROPES HIS WAY TO AN OBSCURE SHOP NEAR THE EAST RIVER, AND CLUMSILY FORCES ENTRY.



IN THE DIMLY LIT INTERIOR HE FINDS IT DIFFICULT TO PICK OUT THE LENSES HE REQUIRES. FINALLY HE DECIDES TO TAKE THE ENTIRE CASE OF TRIAL LENSES WITH HIM



BUT AS ZERO EMERGES FROM THE TINY SHOP, AN ALERT PATROLMAN ROUNDS THE CORNER. IMMEDIATELY HIS SUSPICIONS ARE AROUSED!











A FEW MOMENTS LATER, ZERO HAS FITTED HIMSELF WITH NEW SPECTACLES, AND NOW EAGERLY PREPARES TO PUT THE DRAGON'S EYES TO THE TEST!



EMPTYING A BAG OF PRECIOUS GEMS FROM HIS SECRET HOARD ON THE TABLE, THE LITTLE MAN PLACES THE MYSTIC JEWELS BEFORE THEM, BUT-

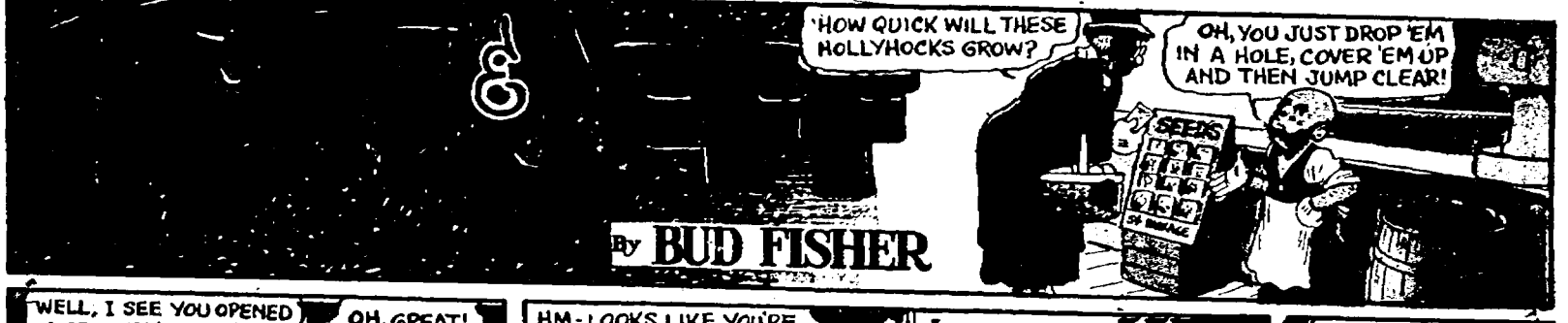


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KREE MEE FINE BUTTER

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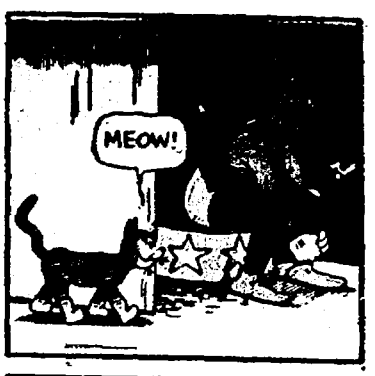




CICERO'S CAT

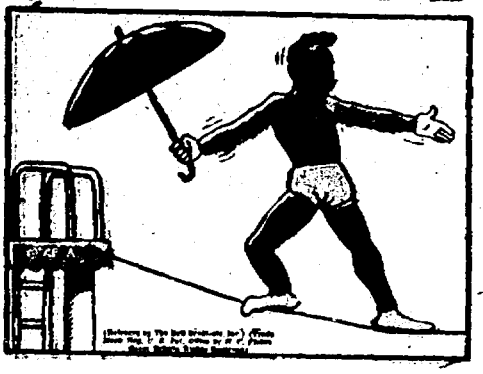
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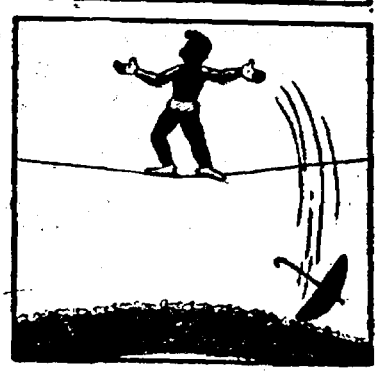




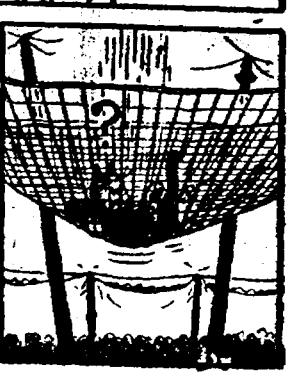












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ABBIE an' SLATS

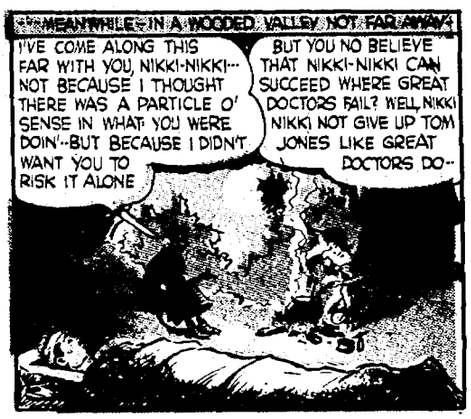
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